



WASHINGTON—The real significance of the sickening price crashes on the stock exchange is this: The much hoped for spring upturn in business has failed to materialize.

The cheery expectations for a boom, nursed so persistently and optimistically through the winter by the President, Secretary Morgenthau and other inner council wish-thinkers, while they sat on their hands doing nothing, have vanished into thin air. Events have proved their hopes to have been as futile as pipe-dreams — just as various government economists frequently warned the President.

The plain, unadorned facts are that despite some signs of expanding activity in the building industry, the nation's economic picture is as sour as curdled milk. Railroad car loadings continue weak, power consumption, a tell-tale indicator, is down, auto sales are lagging, retail trade likewise, textiles are feeble, and steel production, while slightly better, is still in the doldrums.

The speculators and market operators, whose business it is to know what is going on, did not fail to grasp the import of these conditions. They knew they meant a bad second quarter. So the Wall Street boys unloaded, and prices went tobogganing. That is the whole story.

**More Spending**  
The White House advisers who have been urging the President to take aggressive action are deriving some satisfaction out of the gloomy picture, in a belief that it will strengthen their pleas for a new spending program. They have been dining since last October, but until recently made no headway against the budget — balancing shenanigans of the Morgenthau group.

Now, however, the spending advocates feel that time and events are playing into their hands, and that the President will have to untie the purse strings. To emphasize their arguments they prepared some highly significant figures for the President's consideration at

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### SAYS DISCUSSION OF OIL SEIZURES IS SATISFACTORY

Warm Springs, Ga., April 1.—(AP)—President Roosevelt said today discussion with Mexico over seizure of American oil properties seemed to be progressing very satisfactorily.

The president, talking to reporters under a portico of Georgia Hall to keep out of a driving rain, would not elaborate on the Mexican question, but sources close to him, at the same time said Mexico had assured the United States that small American investors would be taken care of.

As for larger investors such as the oil men, the American policy was again defined by these sources, namely, that they should receive for their expropriated properties only the amount invested in them, less depreciation.

What Mexico had proposed for the latter so far, it was not revealed.

The same sources said the United States had no sympathy with Americans who had gone to Mexico and bought up huge land holdings through bribery and then claimed damages under that country's land utilization program far in excess of what the lands cost them.

### 10 Arrests Follow Fight On Bridge Building Project

East Moline, Ill., April 1.—(AP)—Ten arrests followed a fight on the Campbell's island bridge construction project yesterday between men, believed to be union members and the workers of the Conrad Schadt Construction Company who had been forced from their jobs early Thursday.

Workers of the Schadt Company returned to work this morning as a result of orders from Schadt, who claimed that all the men were willing to work for him under past conditions.

### Claims Robbers Forced Poison Down His Throat

Chicago, April 1.—(AP)—Joseph Gore, 25, died today a few hours after telling police two companions forced poison down his throat, and he died of it and left him to die.

He was found unconscious yesterday in a field near suburban Chicago Heights. An empty poison bottle was nearby. He recovered consciousness at a hospital and told Policeman Eugene Dirks he knew his companions only as John and Henry. All had been drinking, he said.

### LUCAS PROMISES TALK ON PADDING PARK PAYROLLS

Igoe Ignores Question As To Attitude On Padding

Chicago, April 1.—(AP)—Scott W. Lucas promised today to have "more to say later" about the Chicago city and park district payroll padding charge he injected into the Democratic primary campaign.

Lucas, U. S. senatorial candidate supported by Governor Horner, in a public address asked his opponent, Michael L. Igoe of Chicago, to answer the question: "Do you subscribe to the padding of the city and park district payrolls by hiring 3,000 additional employees in the last two weeks entirely for election purposes?" Igoe made no immediate response. Lucas did not expand upon the charge.

In a prepared address last night Lucas also answered an earlier question put to him by Igoe. The Chicago district attorney asked whether Lucas, who is attacking the Kelly-Nash organization in campaign speeches, would reject the organization's support in the fall election.

**Won't Submit to Bossism**  
"I shall accept the support of all loyal citizens," Lucas said, "but if you mean by your question I will submit myself to the dictatorship and bossism of Kelly and Nash as you are doing in this primary and evidently agree to do in the event of your nomination and election, my answer to you is emphatically 'no'."

In a move in the dispute over fraudulent voter registrations in Chicago, Chairman P. A. Nash of the regular Cook county Democratic organization telegraphed more than 4,000 precinct captains to make a house-to-house canvass of their precincts. Nash claimed the poll lists were jumbled.

"We are taking our own voters' census because the election board is unable to furnish reliable information," Nash said. "We do not intend to see legally qualified voters disfranchised and we will not permit illegally registered voters to perpetrate fraud."

Chairman Alexander J. McKay of the city election board defended the accuracy of the poll lists and declared no legal voter would be disfranchised on primary day, April 12.

### Spanish Refugees Fleeing To France

Bagneres de Luchon, France, April 1.—(AP)—Thousands of Spanish military and civilian refugees fleeing before the great insurgent drive through northeastern Spain today packed this French mountain resort after days of terrible hardships in the Pyrenees.

Through deep snows the refugees plodded toward a haven in friendly France, but many of their companions already had met death in plunges into snow-filled canyons.

French frontier guards found the stiffened bodies of others where they had dropped from exhaustion in the snowbanks.

The flight to France continued as the spreading insurgent offensive threatened to isolate Catalonia, the government's major stronghold.

In Barcelona, the Catalan coalition of trade unions and political parties appealed for 100,000 volunteers and 50,000 fortifications builders to fight the insurgents.)

### Water Inundates Highways, Vicinity Of Springfield

Springfield, Ill., April 1.—(AP)—The state highway division reported at 10 A. M. today that high water covered pavements in sections of Bond, Madison and St. Clair counties. One way traffic was maintained on U. S. 40 east of Mulberry and a stretch of U. S. 50 west of Lebanon at Silver Creek was inundated for three quarters of a mile, with traffic being detoured. Water was reported rising on route 15 west of Mascoutah at Silver Creek. Flooded pavement was staked in a number of other south central locations, but detours were unnecessary.

### Fearing Mental Break Army Man Asks To Be Locked In Jail Here

Fearing a mental breakdown as a result of his violation of United States Army regulations, Private Clarence Noll, 30th United States infantry stationed at Presidio, Calif., this morning at 7 o'clock appealed to Office John Bohnstiel to lock him up at the local police station, before the feared break occurred. Noll also asked the officer to communicate with members of his family at Braddock, Pa. and request them to come to Dixon to take him to his home at Cresson, Pa.

Noll told Chief Van Bibber that he and his wife were on their second honeymoon, and that they left San Francisco, Calif., Monday by bus, intending to go to Cresson, Pa., to see his aged father, who was in poor health and was not expected to survive. According to the story he told the police, he left Presidio without having obtained an official leave of absence from his commanding officer and he feared the result of his A. W. O. L. action after having served 15 years and four months in the army.

Noll's request for lodging was granted and later he asked to be permitted to go to a hotel and rest until tomorrow, when he plans to proceed to Pennsylvania and then report to an army post after leaving his wife with his relatives.

### Terse News

#### RIFLE INSTRUCTION

The regular semi-monthly course of instruction for boys which has been conducted by Captain Gus Wimpleberg of Co. A, 129th Infantry, and assistant instructors, will be held this evening at 7:30 at the Armory hall. The advanced class of junior riflemen are now making some excellent scores on the indoor range.

#### DENIES DEBATE PLANS

A. E. Ostrander, American Federation of Labor representative of this territory, announced today that any rumors or reports to the effect that he or other representatives of his organization would take part in a public debate Saturday were without foundation, and were unauthorized. The building trades of Dixon and vicinity, Mr. Ostrander stated, would hold an important meeting at the headquarters at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

#### DRIVE PROGRESSES

General Chairman Charles E. Miller of the committee conducting the drive for funds to be used in uniforming and equipping the Junior Legion Drum and Bugle Corps, today stated that a very generous response was being received by citizens and business organizations. All committees who are soliciting are requested to complete their duties as early as possible and file their final reports with the executive committee.

#### CO. A. INSPECTION

Sergeant Charles Grabell of the United States Army ordnance department, yesterday completed the annual inspection of the equipment of Company A, 129th Infantry, of this city. In completing his inspection the regular army officer reported to Captain August Wimpleberg, that the Dixon company was "excellent," a rating which has been maintained for the past few years. Major George Dunn, United States Army officer, assigned to inspection of National Guard units, will conduct the annual inspection of the Dixon company on Thursday, April 21.

### SPECULATE ON FDR'S SUPPORT TO GOV. RIVERS

Warm Springs, Ga., April 1.—(AP)—President Roosevelt approached the end of his southern vacation today as political observers wondered whether he had given any encouragement to Governor E. D. Rivers to make the senatorial primary race against Senator Walter F. George next September.

Rivers, short, 42-year-old former country lawyer from south Georgia, who, rounding out his first term as governor, has declared himself "100 per cent for the President and his program," visited the temporary White House last yesterday with a quartet of state leaders.

All he would say when he came down the clay road from the President's cottage on Pine mountain was:

"I am not a candidate for anything—at this time."

Before Rivers' call, the President was joined by Harry L. Hopkins, Works Progress Administrator, on a visit to a nearby resettlement project.

### Optimism Wanes As Levine Youth Remains Missing

New Rochelle, N. Y., April 1.—(AP)—Hope that somewhere among the numberless listeners to a popular radio broadcast were the kidnapers of Peter Levine today bolstered the waning optimism of the boy's father that a humble offer to ransom the 12-year-old might be accepted at last.

"For God's sake, act and act quickly," was the urgent message that the Rev. Francis J. H. Coffin, an Episcopal clergyman of Larchmont, gave last night to the kidnapers on a network broadcast.

#### ACCUSED OF MURDER

Effingham, Ill., April 1.—(AP)—Lewis Pippin, 29, pleaded innocent to a murder charge in the slaying of his former brother-in-law, George Miller, on Feb. 9. Circuit Judge William B. Wright set trial for April 10.

### REFRAIN FROM VOTING THREAT OF THE MINERS

West Frankfort, Ill., April 1.—(AP)—William Roby, chairman of the miners' relief committee, said today there was considerable sentiment for a "stay at home" strike on election day unless assistance was extended by government agencies.

He said the threat to refrain from voting gained momentum following a conference at Herrin yesterday in which union officials were told they could not be employed on WPA projects unless they were totally unemployed. Union leaders said WPA officials told them that the fact that slack work at the mines returned them insufficient funds to maintain their families would not entitle them to relief, under the rules.

The union leaders said a representative of the Illinois emergency relief commission told them he believed the relief allotment could be increased for Franklin county. Yesterday Ray Edmundson, state U. M. W. A. president, asked Governor Horner to call a special session of the legislature to increase relief for mine counties.

Coal company officials said they expected no general shutdown of the mines. Union officials declared many of the mines might work but two to four days a month, however, and thus would not pay a living wage. They said the situation was aggravated by their inability to lay aside a surplus fund during a poor winter of work.

Operations at the west mine of the Southern Illinois Coal company, which employed about 200 men, have been suspended.

### \$10,000 Damage Suit Result of Accident In County Feb. 12th

A suit to recover damages in the amount of \$10,000 has been filed by an Aurora law firm representing Willard LeRoy Weaver, administrator of the estate of William LeRoy Weaver, deceased, against Leslie Riggs, I. N. U. company lineman residing in Viola township, this county. The complaint at law which was filed late yesterday afternoon with Circuit Clerk E. S. Rosecrans sets forth that William L. Weaver of Aurora, was injured in an automobile accident about 6:30 on the evening of February 12, 1938 on state route 71 about eight miles east of Ambony, his death resulting at Ambony on February 28.

The complaint charges that Riggs negligently operated his automobile at an unreasonable and dangerous speed with defective brakes, driving on the wrong side of the paved highway without regard for traffic. It further states that the victim leaves surviving him, his widow, Mrs. Dolores Weaver and the following children: Mildred, Willard LeRoy, Doris, Mona, Clarence, Betty and Doris who through his death have been deprived of the earnings, contributions, financial assistance and other services.

### Dixonites Home from Trip Through South

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Wilson have returned home after a several weeks' visit in the vicinity of Houston, Texas, where they enjoyed some exceptional fishing, along the Gulf coast south of that city. Mr. Wilson stated today that business conditions and the outlook for the season in Houston was exceptionally good. Building permits issued to date amounted to \$5,300,000, he stated, all of which are for the extension of oil interests. The agricultural outlook is far advanced and corn was noted at a height of six to seven inches. The condition of fruit from Texas to the southern Illinois peach orchards, Mr. Wilson declared indicated a bumper crop this season.

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### PLEASE PAY CARRIER

Your Evening Telegraph Carrier will call on you tomorrow for his regular weekly collection. Since he buys his papers from the publisher paying a cash wholesale rate—he cannot afford to extend credit. Won't you cooperate with him? You will be helping a young man who is striving to make success of his business.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES  
For the 24 hours ending at 5 P. M. Thursday: maximum 66; minimum 35.  
Precipitation .01 inches.  
Saturday—Sun rises at 5:42; sets at 6:25.  
Sunday—Sun rises at 5:40; sets at 6:28.

### Preliminary Survey of Storm-Torn Area Shows About 2,500 Homeless

### Flood Threat Adds To Troubles In Missouri

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
A flood threat arose today in southeastern Missouri while reconstruction crews tackled their big job in the rest of the mid-western sector where tornadoes killed 37 persons Wednesday and caused property losses approaching \$2,000,000.

In the Missouri "Bootheel", one of the regions hit by the series of twisters, the St. Francis and Black rivers threatened trouble, but perhaps not until the crest arrives next week. The Ohio and Wabash rivers also threatened. High water danger abated in Arkansas.

In the two places where the wind struck hardest—Columbus, Kas., and Pekin, Ill.—relief was organized for homeless hundreds. At Columbus approximately 600 required help.

The storms swept out of Arkansas and northeastern Oklahoma, across the corner of Kansas, up through Missouri and several hours later dipped into Illinois and Kentucky.

### MORE THAN 100 INJURED

Pekin, Ill., April 1.—(AP)—A preliminary survey by the Red Cross showed today at least 2,500 persons were made homeless by the tornado that ripped across central Illinois Wednesday, killing 12, injuring more than 100 and causing property damage of approximately \$1,000,000.

J. M. Power of St. Louis, director of Red Cross relief activities in Illinois, said registration disclosed 460 families without homes and declared a further check would disclose others.

He estimated 213 buildings were destroyed and 282 others were damaged by the winds which swept across seven central Illinois counties. Approximately 50 persons were still in hospitals.

Three companies of National Guardsmen from Peoria patrolled the devastated South Pekin area under the command of Major John E. Wansbrough. Sixty state highway officers from Peoria, Pontiac and Champaign, and 35 deputy sheriffs aided in rehabilitation work. Guards rerouted sightseers around the demolished community.

### Dismal Hunt

Approximately 200 families remained in South Pekin, picking over masses of debris in a dismal hunt for their belongings. About the same number took refuge with relatives and friends in other communities.

The desolate community—only a half dozen houses in the village of 1,200 population escaped destruction—received water and food by trucks from nearby cities.

Dairies and bakeries shipped in milk and bread. Red Cross workers served 1,500 meals yesterday at emergency headquarters in a partially wrecked hotel.

### Orders Health Measures

Dr. Sander Horowitz of Peoria, representing the State Department of Public Health, ordered inoculation of South Pekin residents as a safeguard against typhoid. Water was treated with chemicals to make it safe for drinking.

Boy Scouts distributed baskets of food to victims. Relief work on a smaller scale was carried on in more than a dozen other communities less affected by the tornado.

Unofficial estimates of property damage included:  
South Pekin, \$500,000; Alton, \$200,000; Rushville, \$150,000 to

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### Twistings

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
A long narrow lane of yellow straw near Deer creek possibly marked the tornado's last fling. The straw had been stored in a barn, timbers of which were scattered more widely than the straw.

### Garoomph!

Chicago, April 1.—(AP)—April Fool's Day was just one telephone call after another for Robert Bean, assistant director of Brookfield zoo.

Hundreds of people, victims of pranksters, called the zoo and asked for Mr. Lion.

Bean was all set this year. He had a phonograph record made of his lions' roars. When someone asked for Mr. Lion, he turned a switch, and the caller heard a loud "garoomph!"

### REPORT MEXICO HAS POTENTIAL OIL PURCHASERS

Mexico City, April 1.—(AP)—President Lazaro Cardenas was understood today to have found prospective purchasers abroad for Mexico's rising stocks of oil taken from the \$400,000,000 properties of expropriated American and British companies.

Bernard E. Smith, New York stock broker, and Francis W. Rickett, British promoter who negotiated a famous Ethiopian oil contract, have conferred with the President and other high Mexican officials.

Persons in the oil industry said it was understood they had reached an agreement "in principle" to purchase government oil at an extremely low figure for resale in the world market. Neither would comment on their activities here.

Smith conferred this morning with Gustavo Espinosa Mireles, whom Cardenas named general manager of the National Petroleum Company, established to find foreign markets for Mexico's oil production.

Smith and Rickett made reservations for today's New York plane, but Smith said he was "staying on for a few days."

### FRANCE WILLING TO OBSERVE THE LONDON TREATY

Paris, April 1.—(AP)—The French government published today a note addressed to the United States and Great Britain declaring it would continue to observe the 35,000-ton limit for battleships fixed by the 1936 London treaty "unless another continental European power fails to do so."

The note, signed by Foreign Minister Joseph Paul-Boncour and dated March 31, declared France "noted the reasons which led the British and American governments to the grave decision" to denounce the battleship limits.

It said that France, "wishing to limit as far as possible the scope and eventual consequences of this first derogation of the treaty, hopes an agreement will intervene in the near future" to fix new limits.

### Governor Forbids Shipment Of Hay Into State Now

Springfield, Ill., April 1.—(AP)—Shipments from 10 states into Illinois of hay, other hays, cereal straw and alfalfa meal grown or stored in districts infested with alfalfa weevil was banned by gubernatorial proclamation today.

Governor Horner issued the order at the request of Director J. H. Lloyd of agriculture. The insect, which is injurious to forage crops, is not present in Illinois.

### Cancer Treatment Serum Is Fatal To Two More

Orlando, Fla., April 1.—(AP)—A man and a woman died in hospitals today, bringing to nine the number of persons who had succumbed after being injected with a cancer treatment serum.

Mrs. Lydia Morrison, 49, and C. S. Pore, 65, both of Orlando, died today within two hours of each other.

### RENEW CONTRACT

Detroit, April 1.—(AP)—Chrysler Corporation and the United Automobile Workers of America renewed last night for one year their collective bargaining agreement. No changes were made in the contract.

### California Town To Close Shops For Day As Protest to Dictator

Pittsburg, Calif., April 1.—(AP)—The Merchants Association of Pittsburg, a city of steel, sardines and 10,000 people, said today the town's business establishments would close one day next week as a protest against the government reorganization bill.

Frank J. Hollender, chairman of the association's store-closing committee, explained.

Observers from the air said it was easy to spot wrecked farm homes or barns. All they had to do was to look for a line of black automobiles on a white highway. They were certain to be headed for or parked near a desolated farm.

George Kraeger, proprietor of a South Pekin grocery store, picked up something from the floor. When he straightened up, the top of the building had been blown away. He was uninjured.

Noah Pineer was milking a cow in the barn on a farm near Eureka as the tornado lifted the barn from over his head. Neither he nor the cow was injured.

John Lemon said he was sitting in his car in front of the South Pekin postoffice. The wind picked up the car, turned it upside down and dropped it in its original parking space. Lemon was not hurt, the car damaged only slightly.

### LAST BARRIER TO BARCELONA IS NEAR FALL

Zaragoza, April 1.—(AP)—Insurgent commanders announced today they had seized positions dominating Lerida, key city in northeastern Spain, and that occupation of the provincial capital awaited only a clean up of the Segre river valley.

Battling with tanks and machine guns through the olive groves and hills about Lerida, troops commanded by General Yuan Yague continued their encircling movement of the historic citadel and the expected last major barrier to Barcelona and the Mediterranean coast soon would fall.

Government forces, however, had prepared a new defensive line 10 miles to the east, and resisted savagely every step.

Insurgents said they found a copy of an order from the government command directing the officers to keep their front lines from retreating under the penalty of death if necessary for fleeing troops.

Government losses in the hard-fought conflict were declared to be unusually heavy.

In northern Huesca province, Franco's columns continued to push the enemy back toward the Catalan frontier, capturing positions along the Esera river valley.

On the southern sector, Gen. Garcia Valino's Italians and Gen. Monasterio's cavalry broke the enemy's resistance at Nonape, 10 miles east of the battlefield of Vase, and advanced through the Matarrana river valley into the Catalan province of Tarragona, inflicting heavy losses on the enemy and seizing large stores.

### Believe Belvidere Strike Near Truce

Belvidere, Ill., April 1.—(AP)—Resumption of negotiations was planned today in an effort to settle the strike at the National Sewing Machine company plant.

When the conference between strikers and company officials adjourned Wednesday night, a union spokesman said the management was "more conciliatory and willing to come to terms." It was an indication that the strike, called March 14, might be settled soon.

Three unions charged the company refused to abide by a national labor relations board ruling certifying them as bargaining agencies.

### Paroles Granted 54 Prisoners In Illinois Prisons

Springfield, Ill., April 1.—(AP)—The state parole board granted paroles today to 54 inmates of Illinois penal institutions following hearings on the March docket.

The parole orders included one for Giuseppe Faneili of Chicago, who served nearly 13 years at Menard prison of a one year to life sentence, ordering his release when called for by deportation authorities.

### Edward J. Franks Died This Morning

Edward J. Franks, 69, well known Dixon carpenter, passed away at 10:15 o'clock this morning at his home, 71 Third street, the result of a stroke of paralysis suffered a week ago this noon, which rendered him helpless. Funeral services will be held at the home Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with burial in Oakwood cemetery.

### NEW YORK FOG LIFTS

New York, April 1.—(AP)—Fog, waited away by a southeasterly breeze, permitted normal harbor traffic today and two luxury liners which had been forced to anchor overnight, continued their interrupted way.



## LODGES, CABINS AT STATE PARKS OPEN TO PUBLIC

### Starved Rock State Park Hotel Ready By May 1

Springfield, Ill., April 1—Lodges and cabins at three Illinois State Parks will be open to visitors in April. F. Lynden Smith, Director of the Department of Public Works and Buildings, announced today. The lodge and dining room at Giant City State Park south of Carbondale will be ready for visitors April 1.

The restaurant in the central recreation area at Starved Rock State Park will be opened April 1, while the hotel will be ready for guests May 1. The State Park staff now is completing two four-room modern rental cabins which will be available June 1.

At White Pines Forest State Park the lodge and dining room as well as thirteen one-room log cabins and one four-room cabin will be opened May 15.

Governor Henry Horner's interest in promoting the development of the State Park System in Illinois to a level with the other accomplishments of the state has been largely responsible for the tripling of the acreage during the five years he has been in office, Director Smith said. Today 15,000 acres of scenic and historical sites have been set aside as the "public estate" with trails, shelters, lodges and other facilities completed for the convenience of visitors.

**Some Major Parks**

The major parks in the State System include:

Starved Rock State Park—LaSalle county between Ottawa and LaSalle on State Highway 7A. The main attraction for visitors, Starved Rock, itself, is a rocky eminence rising above the Illinois River. It is the site of Fort St. Louis, built by LaSalle in 1682. Besides the hotel and restaurant, there is a swimming pool, dance pavilion, souvenir shop, and children's playground in the area near the base of the rock. There are many miles of foot trails through the park and numerous picnic areas.

White Pines Forest State Park—Ogle county, north of Dixon and seven miles from Polo between State Highway 2 and United States Highway 52. This 315 acre tract includes the southernmost stand of virgin pine in the midwest. Mingled with the pines are many varieties of hardwoods.

Mississippi Palisades State Park—Carroll county, north of Savanna on State Highway 80. Resembling the famous palisades of the Hudson, the rugged cliffs in this park are dotted with trails for the hardy. From their heights the countryside unfolds for many miles. There are picnic areas equipped with stoves, benches and tables scattered throughout the park.

Pere Marquette State Park—Jesse county, twenty-five miles west of Alton and near Grafton on State Highway 109. Named for Father Marquette who camped in the area on one of his exploration trips down the Mississippi, the park encompasses 1670 acres of rugged, hill country. Horses may be rented for trips through the bridge trails.

Buffalo Rock State Park—LaSalle county, between Ottawa and LaSalle near U. S. Highway 6. The huge fortress-like rock in this park

## Agree on Love; Also Furniture:



Beautiful Mayo Method and handsome Humphrey Bogart of the movies, shown dancing above, must have come to agreement on the matter of rearranging furniture. In any event, they've announced they will be married in August, just as soon as his divorce from actress Mary Phillips becomes final. Miss Method divorced Percy T. Morgan a year ago because he would not permit her to move furnishings around in their home.

was once the site of an Indian stronghold. Trails and picnic areas have been provided for visitors.

New Salem State Park—Menard county, two miles south of Petersburg on State Highway 123. Here the state has reproduced the pioneer village where Lincoln spent six formative years of his life from 1831 to 1837. The log cabins and stores, and the famous Rutledge Tavern are furnished with original articles on furnishings of the period. There are picnic areas adjacent to the park and a restaurant at the foot of the bluff on which the park stands.

**Called Oldest Playground**

Black Hawk State Park—Adjoining Rock Island on U. S. Highway 67 and State Highway 80. Called the oldest playground in the midwest, this park was formerly the festival grounds of the Sauk and Fox Indians. An interesting collection of Indian relics has been assembled in a museum in the park.

Fort Massac State Park—Massac county, at Metropolis, near junction of U. S. Highway 45 and State Highway 145. It was on this site that George Rogers Clark first unfurled the Stars and Stripes in territory which now constitutes the state of Illinois.

Cave-in-Rock State Park—Hardin county, near Elizabethtown on State Highway 140. The yawning cave on the banks of the Wabash gives this park its name. The cave was believed to have been inhabited by Indians. Later a band of robbers and then counterfeiters are said to have operated in it.

Fort Chartres State Park—Randolph county, four miles from Prairie du Rocher at end of State

Highway 155. The foundations of the original fort, which was the center of the French regime in Illinois, still remain to give visitors a graphic picture of the old structure.

Giant City State Park—Jackson and Union counties, twelve miles southwest of Carbondale and near Makanda, connected with U. S. 51 by a two-mile strip of gravel road. Here the state has 916 acres in the foothills of the Ozarks set aside as a park. In one section giant blocks of stone have separated from the parent lodge to form canyons.

Fort Kaskaskia State Park, Garrison Hill Cemetery, and Pierre Menard Home—Randolph county, north of Chester near State Highway 3. This interesting trio of historic sites annually draws many visitors. The early fort was built to protect the residents of Kaskaskia from the warring Chickasaws.

Jubilee College State Park, Peoria county, 14 miles northwest of Peoria, near United States Highway 150. This old Episcopal College was one of the few educational institutions in the midwest in the early part of the nineteenth century. The state is restoring the old college, dormitory and chapel.

Cahokia Mounds State Park, Madison and St. Clair counties, four miles east of East St. Louis on United States Highway 40. The central mound in this park is said to be the most important work left by a prehistoric race on the American continent.

**Apple River Canyon Lovely**

Apple River Canyon State Park—Jo Daviess county, south and west of Warren, near State Highway 78. The park is distinguished by limestone bluffs, ravines, springs and an abundance of wild bird, animal and plant life.

Lincoln Trail Monument State Park—Lawrence county, nine miles east of Lawrenceville on U. S. Route 50. This park commemorates the spot where the Lincoln family entered Illinois.

Lincoln Log Cabin State Park—Coles county, southwest of Charleston. Here the state has reconstructed the home of Lincoln's father, Thomas Lincoln.

Fox Ridge State Park—Coles county, 7 miles south of Charleston. This park follows the Embarras River and is marked by natural scenic beauty.

Illini State Park—LaSalle county, near U. S. 6. This park lies along the Illinois and Michigan Canal opposite Marseilles.

Gabhard Woods State Park—Grundig county, near U. S. 6. Dedicated to the state by the citizens of Morris, this park is adjacent to the state's parkway along the old canal.

A booklet describing the parks and memorials may be obtained by writing to the Department of Public Works and Buildings, Centennial Building, Springfield.

**DENVER FLIES DEATH FLAG IN TRAFFIC CAMPAIGN**

Denver—(AP)—A flag of death is being flung for Denver's police building flag pole.

Black with a white cross in the center, it will fly on days when one or more persons are killed in traffic accidents.

On days when no deaths occur in the city, as the result of car accidents, a white flag will be flown.

It is Judge Philip Gilliam's idea. He believes the flags will remind drivers of the dangers of traffic.

## TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY by Baer



"I had the right of way, but he had one of those powerful used trucks from the Telegraph classified ads!"

## Forward

### Day by Day Lessons for Reading During Lenten Season

Read St. John 11:8-16.

Then said Thomas, which is called Didymus, unto his fellow-disciples, Let us also go, that we may die with him.

Then said Martha unto Jesus, Lord, if thou hadst been here, my brother had not died.

Today we are asked again to meditate on a story of death and resurrection. But this time faith has a longer and harder trial.

The disciples lacked faith. "Let us also go that we may die with Him." But when the time came, they forsook Him and fled.

Martha lacked faith. "I know that he shall rise again in the resurrection at the last day." That is as far as she could get. And even Mary lacked faith. She could only echo her sister's words.

But Jesus understood. He saw the love behind the doubt, and answered them all in words that have comforted many a mourner since.

"I am the Resurrection and the Life: he that believeth in me, though he die, yet shall he live: and whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die." Believe thou this?

Happy hour, when Jesus calls us from tears to joy, to full assurance of His presence and His power!

Puerto Rico's tourist traffic increased more than 300 per cent for the first two months of 1938 over the corresponding period of last year.

## LIGHT LUNCHES AID ACCURACY IN AFTERNOON

The theory that a light lunch spells an efficient afternoon—science says it's sound. Dr. Donald A. Laird, experimental psychologist, recently conducted tests which led him to that conclusion. He describes them in the current Rotarian Magazine.

Eight young men ate in Dr. Laird's laboratory each noon for a month. "We told them we were making studies of air conditions," he says. "If they had known that it was the size of the noon lunch we were studying, their bias one way or the other would doubtless have shown up in the results."

"To make this deception more effective, and keep the men convinced that we were studying air conditioning, detailed records were kept of temperature, humidity, air flow, and barometric pressure. From time to time different odors were sprayed into the ventilating ducts just to clinch this scientific deception."

"On half of the days, scattered at random through the month, they were given a full-sized meal, with trays of bread and platters of 'seconds' on the table in front of them. They could eat all they wanted. On the other half of the days, however, they were given a dairy lunch of somewhat restricted portions, and with no opportunity for second helpings."

**Tests Start at 1 P. M.**

"Then starting at 1 o'clock in the afternoon we gave them tests to find out how much more capable of doing mental work they were on the days they had eaten the light meals. The results were almost spectacular, and more than vindicate the habit of those business and professional persons who eat lightly at noon."

"In correctly recalling addresses memorized only a half hour previously, for instance, these men were 22 per cent better on the light-meal afternoons. Accuracy in purely mental addition, without the aid of paper and pencil, was 25 per cent better after the light meal than after the heavy one. After the heavy meals, attention fluctuated almost 70 per cent more."

The stomach in a gorged status, Dr. Laird explains, sucks blood away from the brain, which leaves the head in no condition to do much else than sleep—as many persons know to their sorrow in the afternoon."

Recommending a hearty breakfast, a light lunch, and an ample dinner for work days, the psychologist would make no exception of

## YEARS AGO

### Outstanding News of Dixon and Vicinity in the Past

From The Dixon Telegraph

#### 50 YEARS AGO

John Bossemeyer died last night at his home in South Dixon.

The thief who thought to keep Ben Peck from church Easter morning by stealing his pants Saturday night got left. Ben had another pair and therefore was not in the slightest embarrassed, discomfited and not much perplexed.

\$146,500 of the stock of the Building Loan association has been subscribed for.

#### 25 YEARS AGO

D. B. Nettz was struck by lightning last night while asleep in his home at Pine Creek township, Ogle county, and nearly killed.

W. A. Schuler has sold his lumber business and stock to the Midland Lumber Company of Chicago Heights.

A new store will be opened Thursday in the Baker building on Galena avenue.

#### 10 YEARS AGO

Mrs. Horace Dysart of Franklin Grove passed away yesterday morning at the Dixon hospital.

Mrs. Mary M. Brown passed away last evening at her home, 1304 Fourth street.

Mrs. Sarah Haley passed away yesterday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. J. McCoy, 303 Hennepin avenue.

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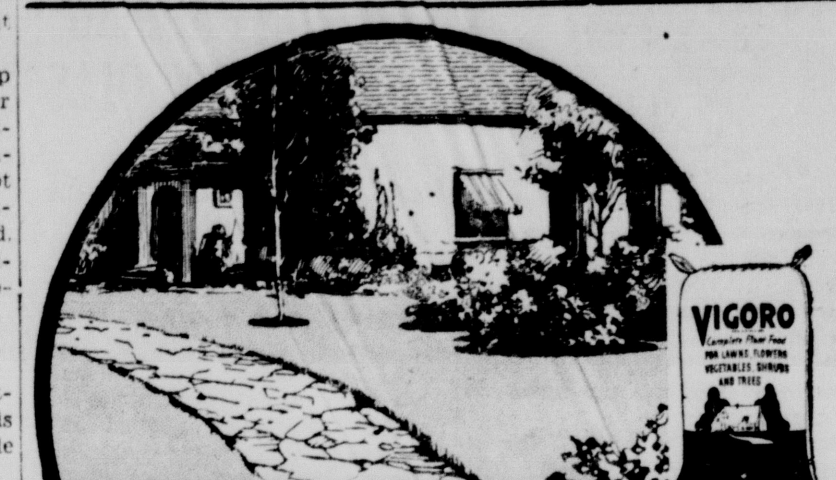
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Sunday. "The usual Sunday stuffing at noon leaves one giddy and poor company the remainder of the day. I suspect it is a factor, too, in Sunday automobile accidents. On Sundays it is wiser to have a light lunch at noon with a heavier meal in the evening."

Lindem was introduced into England in 1860.

**BIG CROP LOSS**  
Los Angeles —(AP)— Losses to agriculture in Los Angeles county from the rains and floods in early March are estimated at \$891,000 by Harold J. Ryan, county agricultural commissioner. Citrus groves and vineyards were hardest hit.

Nineteen persons were hanged as witches at Salem, Mass., in 1692.



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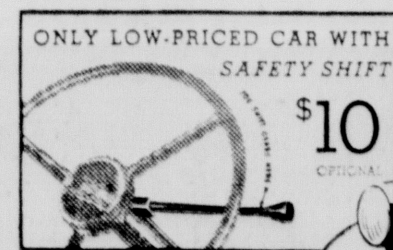
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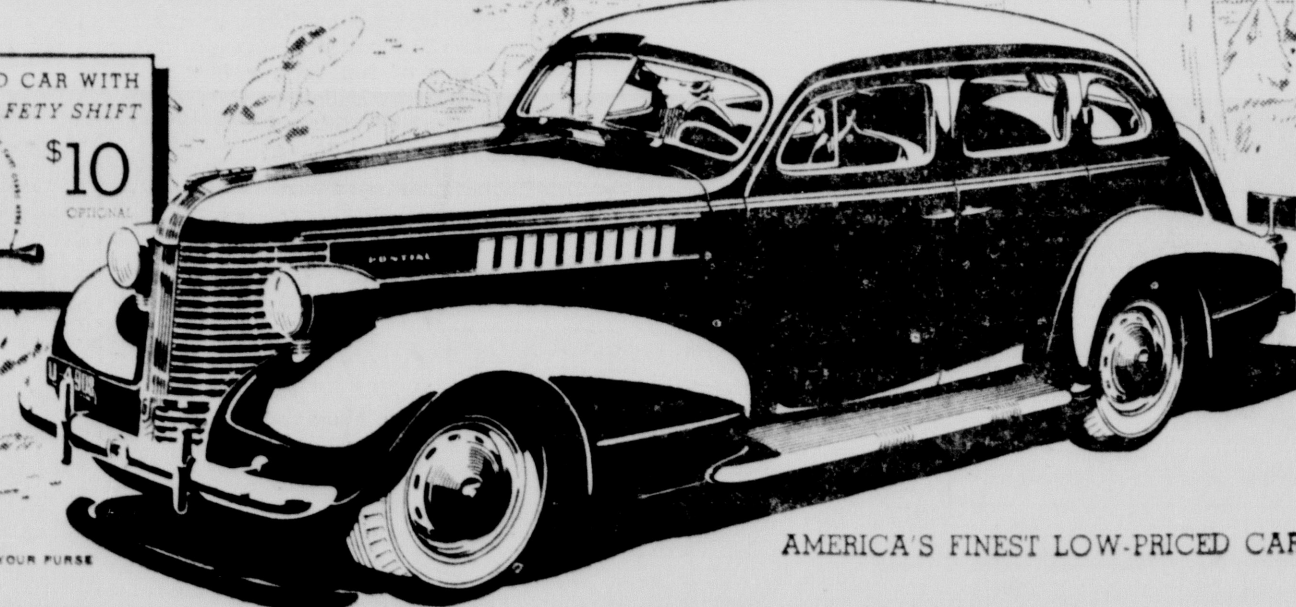
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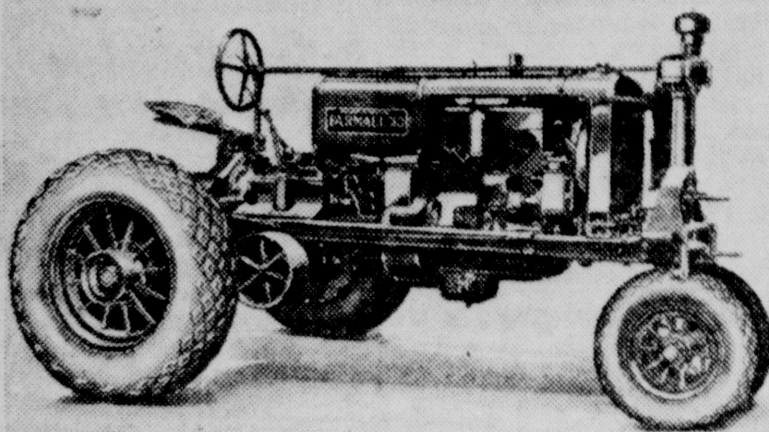
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## Club Women Contribute To Early Cultural Life In Expansion of Oregon

### History of Early Organizations Is Told

#### INSTALLMENT SEVEN

In recording the chronicles of Oregon it must be recognized that from 1870 to 1900 was a period of greater significance than any former two hundred years, and out of that whole time of 30 years, that which was most significant, the most far-reaching, was the movement represented by women's clubs.

Ogle county and Oregon shared in the development of this club movement and the women contributed a full quota of study, work and influence. As far as possible, the record of these organizations up to the early part of the Twentieth Century is given in the following account.

**LADIES' PHILANTHROPIC SEWING SOCIETY:** On June 29, 1850, the Ladies' Philanthropic Sewing Society of Oregon was organized with Mrs. Anna M. Edminister as president. Its object

was to encourage a more extended spirit of public enterprise and benevolence, and to promote a warmer sympathy of thought and good feeling. The membership was 36 with 12 men as honorary members. The records show that the ladies did a variety of sewing—such as making skirts, coats, vests, ladies' dresses and trimming bonnets. At their first meeting, July 5, 1850, they voted to appropriate the first surplus money to the pulpit of the Lutheran church, then being rebuilt. On October 10, they had a fair of fancy articles and realized a sum of \$53 which was used, in part, as a loan to John Etnyre. The next object of the group was to purchase a bell for the Lutheran church, and this bell was rung for many years on all public occasions such as town and political meetings, sessions of court, etc.

**The New Atlantis:** Organized October 25, 1893 by women who had belonged to a history club consisting of men and women. The pioneer club consisted entirely of women and was the first club to meet afternoons. Mrs. Julia W. Peck was leader for the first year.

and the club permanently organized July 27, 1894 with Mrs. Peck as president. The club studied English and American history and literature, ancient, medieval and modern art, current history and literature.

**CHAUTAUQUA CIRCLE:** The Chautauqua Circle was organized in 1894 with Rev. J. K. Reed as leader. The course was continued for several years; the study of birds was a part of the work undertaken. **THE VICTORIA CLUB:** The club was first organized as the "Cliona" and re-organized in 1905 as "The Victoria." The object was the study of literature and social enjoyment. Mrs. E. D. Etnyre was the first president and Mrs. James C. Fesler was the first secretary-treasurer.

**Delphian Club:** The Delphian club was first organized as a Chapter of the University Association in 1896 for the study of universal history. For sometime thereafter both men and women were included as members. Among the charter members were Miss Adelaide M. Steele, Mrs. J. A. Bardeen, Misses Mary Mix, Lida Mix, Emma J. Campbell and Ruby E. Nash; Ernest Van Patten, W. M. Forkel, W. J. Emerson and Evan L. Reed.

**THE UMZOOVES:** This club, originally "The Doves," was organized under the Indian name "Umzooze" (pleasure seekers) in 1897 with Mrs. J. T. Fredrick as president who was, at the time, Miss Ida Marshall. The purpose was that the young ladies should hold an annual picnic the last Wednesday in July. Of the 235 members whose signatures appeared on the secretary's book, the majority paid the "fine of 99 cents after entering upon the bonds of matrimony" which forfeited membership. Every year after the day's festivities the deserving poor were remembered with boxes and baskets of the good things remaining.

**HOME CULTURE CLUB:** The Home Culture club was organized in September, 1898, with three members. Its object was mutual improvement along literary lines. The only officer was the president, Mrs. L. V. Nash. Later the club grew to a membership of 14 members.

**THE NEW CENTURY CLUB:** This club was organized in 1900 as a greeting of the incoming century. The first officers were: president, Miss Lillie Ray; vice president, Miss Evelyn Nye; secretary and treasurer, Miss Lillie Seibert. The object was literary study. **TWO-PENNY CLUB:** A thimble club, organized January 26, 1905, and met once a week. Each member brought with her to the meeting two pennies to go into the club treasury and to be used in making and providing clothing and provisions for the poor. The first officers were: President, Mrs. Emma J. Herbert; secretary, Mrs. W. A. Walde; treasurer, Mrs. Frank Potter.

In the next installment of the history of Oregon the account of social, economic and fraternal groups will be told.

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6:15 Uncle Ezra—WMAQ Behind the Headlines—WENR  
6:30 Bob Elson—WGN  
6:45 Hollace Shaw—WBBM  
7:00 What's My Name?—WGN Frank Black—WMAQ Grand Central Station—WLS  
7:30 Paul Whiteman—WBBM Death Valley Days—WENR Lone Ranger—WGN  
8:00 Waltz Time—WMAQ Hollywood Hotel—WBBM Royal Crown Revue—WLS  
8:30 Spelling Bee—WENR True Stories—WMAQ  
9:00 First Nighters—WMAQ The Song Shop—WBBM  
9:30 Hollywood Gossip—WMAQ  
9:45 People in the News—WMAQ  
10:00 Amos 'n' Andy—WMAQ Just Entertainment—WBBM Louise vs Thomas Boxing Bout—WENR  
10:15 Jimmy Dorsey's Orch.—WOC News—WMAQ  
10:30 Ruby Newman's Orch.—WMAQ Frank Daley's Orch.—WOC Ace Brigode's Orch.—WGN  
10:45 Frank Daley's Orch.—WBBM Ace Brigode's Orch.—WGN

**SATURDAY**  
Morning  
7:00 Musical Clock—WOC Southernaires—WCFL  
8:00 Breakfast Club—WCFL  
9:30 Music Internationale—WCFL  
10:00 Cincinnati Conservatory of Music—WOC  
Radio Forum—WMAQ  
10:15 Minute Men—WMT  
10:30 Army Band—WGN  
11:00 Music Series—WMAQ Captivators—WOC  
11:15 Musical Mail Box—WGN  
Glee Club—WBBM  
11:30 Rex Battles Ensemble—WHO Farm & Home Hour—WMAQ  
Afternoon  
12:00 Talk by Miss Lena Phillips—WBBM  
Hit Review—WCFL  
12:30 Orchestra—WMAQ  
1:00 Music for Everyone—WMAQ  
1:30 Madison Ensemble—WBBM  
2:00 Golden Melodies—WHO Varieties—WGN Merry-makers—WBBM  
2:30 Missus Goes to Market—WBBM  
Walter Kelsey's Orchestra—WMAQ  
3:00 Organist—WBBM Stamp Collector—WENR  
3:30 Topatters—WMAQ  
4:00 Make Believe—WCFL  
Story of Industry—WBBM  
Great Dramas—WMAQ  
4:30 Frederick's Orch.—WMAQ  
5:00 Chorus Quest—WBBM  
Spanish Review—WMAQ  
5:30 Chick Webb's Orch.—WENR Sports—WMAQ  
5:45 Religion in the News—WMAQ  
Evening  
6:00 Message of Israel—WENR  
6:30 Question Bee—WMAQ  
Swing Session—WBBM  
7:00 Columbia Workshop—WBBM  
Robt. L. Ripley—WMAQ  
7:30 Johnny Presents—WBBM  
Jack Halley's Log Cabin—WMAQ  
8:00 Prof. Quiz—WBBM  
Barn Dance—WLS  
8:30 American Portraits—WMAQ  
Serenade—WBBM  
9:00 Hit Parade—WBBM

Symphony Orch.—WMAQ  
10:00 Buddy Rogers Orch.—WBBM  
Night Skies and Beyond—WGN  
10:30 News—WBBM  
Gary Gordon's Orchestra—WMAQ  
10:45 Goodman's Orch.—WBBM  
11:00 Sammy Kaye's Orch.—WBBM  
Horace Heidt's Orch.—WCFL

**SUNDAY**  
Morning  
8:00 Coast to Coast on a Bus—WMAQ  
Wings Over Jordan—WBBM  
Turn Back the Clock—WHO  
9:00 Church of the Air—WBBM  
Russian Melodies—WMAQ  
9:30 Dreams of Long Ago—WCFL  
Madrigal Singers—WMAQ  
10:00 Texas Rangers—WBBM  
Silver Flute—WMAQ  
10:15 Hit Review—WCFL  
10:30 Major Bowes Capitol Family—WOC  
Modern Miracles—WBBM  
10:45 American Warbles—WGN  
Norseman—WMAQ  
11:00 Dr. Preston Bradley—WJJD  
Southernaires—WLS  
11:30 University of Chicago Round Table—WMAQ  
Afternoon

12:00 Radio City Music Hall—WENR  
A Capella Choir—WMAQ  
12:15 Ted Weems Orch.—WMAQ  
12:30 There Was a Woman—WENR  
Symphony Orch.—WMAQ  
12:45 Post's Gold—WBBM  
1:00 Magic Key—WENR  
1:30 Thatcher Colt—WMAQ  
Jean Herscholt—WBBM  
2:00 Philharmonic Symphony—WBBM  
Radio News Reel—WMAQ  
2:30 Sunday Drivers—WMAQ  
Ed O'Connell—WENR  
3:00 Fr. Chas. Coughlin—WJJD  
Court of Human Relations—WGN  
3:30 Baseball, Chicago Cubs vs White Sox—WJJD  
4:00 Marion Talley—WMAQ  
Magazines of the Air—WBBM  
Steelmakers—WGN  
4:30 Guy Lombardo—KMOX  
The Mickey Mouse Theater—WMAQ  
5:00 Joe Penner—WBBM  
Catholic Hour—WMAQ  
5:30 Tale of Today—WMAQ  
Norma Talmadge—WGN  
Evening

6:00 Round Table—WCFL  
Jack Benny—WMAQ  
Manhattan Mother—WBBM  
6:30 Americans at Work—WBBM  
Interesting Neighbors—WMAQ  
Phil Baker—WHAS  
7:00 Chas. McCarthy—WMAQ  
8:00 Manhattan Merry-Go-Round—WMAQ  
Hollywood Playhouse—WENR  
The Sunday Evening Hour—WBBM  
8:30 American Album of Familiar Music—WMAQ  
Walter Winchell—WENR  
9:00 Good Will Program—WGN  
Rising Musical Star—WMAQ  
Sec. Harold Ickes—WBBM  
9:30 Court of Missing Heirs—WBBM  
10:00 Abe Lyman's Orch.—WBBM

## The WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

(Continued From Page 1.)

Warm Springs, showing the direct connection between government spending and business conditions. This is what the figures show: That during the 1935-36 ascent from the depression, the Government pumped a net average contribution of \$250,000,000 a month into the economic system. Beginning in February, 1937, this net monthly contribution began to be curtailed, dropped to \$89,000,000 in August. The result of the contraction was instantaneous. In September stock prices started plummeting and by November the recession was in full swing.

As the Government's net outlays continued to shrink, the downward course of business continued at a faster and more precipitous pace. Last August, the index for industrial production stood at 117. On the first of this month it was 78, a loss of 39 points.

This is the most abrupt crash in the history of American industry. Today business activity and employment are back to the early 1934 level, when the effects of the first spending program were first beginning to be felt. In other words, the recession of the past six months has wiped out all the gains made in 1935, 1936 and the first half of 1937.

Today the country economically, is back where it was when the New Deal really got under way.

**Three Musketeers**  
Credit for the Administration's thumping Supreme Court victory on the Holding Company Act belongs to three men—Solicitor General Bob Jackson and brain-trusters Tom Corcoran and Ben Cohen. Cohen was the chief author of the law. Corcoran was instrumental in putting it through Congress, and all three formed the Government's legal phalanx which successfully defended it against utility attacks in two and a half years of bitter court battling.

This judicial offensive was one of the most powerful and tenacious ever waged against a federal act. The President's signature was scarcely dry on the legislation when John W. Davis, Morgan attorney, went before Federal District Judge Coleman in Baltimore on behalf of a dentist who owned

a few bonds in a bankrupt holding company, and claimed the new law was unconstitutional. Cohen and Corcoran were vacationing from their hard congressional battle at the time, but were hurriedly recalled and rushed to Baltimore to defend their handiwork.

**Can't Play Politics**  
This was a new experience for them. They were old hands at legislation, but not as trial lawyers. Standing before the court in Baltimore, Davis leaned over and whispered to Corcoran:

"You can't play politics here, boy. You will have to practice law." The final result indicates that that is exactly what the two young New Dealers did. They completely outgeneraled Davis and his corps of high-priced corporation lawyers, by taking the offensive with a suit in New York to compel the giant Electric Bond & Share Company to comply with the law. It was this case on which the Supreme Court made its recent ruling upholding the act.

Bob Jackson entered the case at this point, and helped fight it in the District and Circuit Courts.

is the final decision even Jus-

tice Pierce Butler, one-time railroad and utility lawyer, voted in favor of the Administration. Only Justice McReynolds dissented and he did not bother to write an opinion.

**Merry-Go-Round**  
There is no superstition at the British Embassy. One of the British cars, a Rolls-Royce, bears the Diplomatic license number 13. . . . Secretary Hull has at one corner of his desk a master telephone control which allows him to cut through to any member of his staff, even if that person is busy on the line. . . . Over a period of five centuries, Mexico has produced 33 per cent of the world's entire silver production. . . . Latin America produces most of the world's coffee, but the coffee tree is native to Africa. Africa produces most of the world's cocoa, but the cocoa tree is native to South America.

Public Health Service is under Treasury, yet its chief has military rank (Surgeon General), and is paid according to Army pay schedules. . . . President Roosevelt has approved a proposal by House Floor Leader Sam Rayburn that all flood control dams with power

possibilities built by the Government shall remain in the possession of the Government. Under present law the dams revert to the localities. Rayburn convinced the President that this opened the door to the dams falling into the hands of private utility interests. (Copyright, 1938, by United Feature Syndicate, Inc.)

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- Build a Municipal Bathing Pool.
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## WHO GETS THE SWAG?

John L. Lewis wants the Roosevelt administration to  
spend several billions of dollars on housing projects, as  
an "investment" of the social security funds.

The so-called social security swag is going to be the  
bone of contention as long as it is in its present state. It  
is being collected from the laborer and his employer, and  
in many cases that collected from the employer is a load  
on the wage payroll. It is being expended for any fool  
thing the government desires to explore. It can go to  
harness the Passamaquoddy tides or to dig a Florida canal  
which nobody wants except as a Florida vote-catcher. It  
can go to buy butterfly nets for children being taught by  
the WPA to catch butterflies. It can go for a \$10,000 well  
at an Arkansas tourist camp or a Kentucky dog pound.

The only requirement of the law is that it be spent for  
something and in its place shall be laid the government's  
promise to pay at some future date, in some kind of  
money.

Out of experience of the government with gobs of  
money lying around, the suggestion of Lewis that billions  
be spent for a pet project does not come as a surprise.  
There will be plenty of people after the swag.

Soldiers' pensions, which were handled in huge sums  
and distributed among hundreds of thousands of persons  
over long periods of years, never were paid from a reser-  
voir of collections. They were paid as we went. There  
were pension scandals, just as there will be security scan-  
dals, but there never was a swag of 40 billions of dollars  
to be sought by the spenders.

Right now there is no considerable reservoir of so-  
cial security money either. We've collected a billion and  
we've spent a billion—for things other than social security.

## THE BICYCLE HAZARD

The Cycle Trades of America have interested them-  
selves in safety of bicycle riders, and in a campaign insti-  
tuted in public interest have set forth a list of "rules of  
safe riding," as follows:

1. Obey all traffic regulations, such as red and green  
lights, one way streets, stop signs and hand signals.
  2. Ride in a straight line and do not weave in and  
out of traffic.
  3. Have a white light on front and a danger signal  
on rear for night riding.
  4. Have a satisfactory signaling device to warn of ap-  
proach.
  5. Give pedestrians the right of way.
  6. Look out for cars at crossings and pulling out of  
parking places.
  7. Keep your bicycle in good condition.
  8. Do not carry another person on your bicycle.
  9. Do not hitch on to vehicles.
  10. Always ride carefully.
- There is a set of rules wise and proper—if some bicy-  
cle rider only would read them.

## SAM'S FLOWER GARDEN

Easy to do. But what a difference it made on busy  
Stephenson Avenue, Iron Mountain, Mich. Sam Cudlip  
spaded up the space between the sidewalk and the curb  
alongside his drug store and planted an old-fashioned  
flower garden. On a hot, busy business street in mid-August  
it was the brightest, cheerfulness in sight, and  
stirred the editor of a local service-club paper to utter this  
thought, which we wholeheartedly commend and pass on:

"What better program could be devised by this club  
for the spring months than planting some flowers in some  
of the unsightly places that are now eyesores to all those  
who like to be proud of the city?"

Few articles cost less than a packet of flower seeds.  
Few forms of exercise are more stimulating than spading  
up a bit of soil in early spring. And few things are more  
satisfying to both eye and soul than flowers that bloom  
after such labor.

## A HAVEN FOR THE OPPRESSED

Those not subject to writer's cramp may wish to fig-  
ure how long it will take for the United States to absorb  
any substantial proportion of the Jews being penalized  
for their racial membership in Austria. President Roose-  
velt, on hearing that the Nazis had cracked down on Jews  
in Austria, figuratively opened the country's arms to them,  
subject at present of course, to immigration quotas. The  
quota for Austria might be changed by congressional ac-  
tion, but there are stumbling blocks. One of these is the  
fact that the Nazis, however they dislike Jewry, will wish  
to retain Jewry's gold; and there are some who will say  
we had best not admit persons likely to become public  
charges.

The world's Jewish population is about 16 million.  
About 10 million of these live in Europe or were reported  
to live there before they were cracked down upon. Half  
a million live in Palestine. About 4 1/4 million Jews live  
in the United States, and about 2 million of these are resi-  
dents of the state of New York. The population of New  
York state is 16 1/2 per cent Jewish. New York City is 30  
per cent Jewish.

Connecticut, Massachusetts and New Jersey are 5 to  
6 per cent Jewish in population; Illinois, 4 1/2 per cent. As  
a whole, the northern states of this country are about 5 1/2  
per cent Jewish, 12-13 per cent of the west's population is  
Jewish, and in the southern states the Jews account for

only 1-3 of 1 per cent. The figures are taken from the  
American Jewish yearbook.

Not only did President Roosevelt advocate the admis-  
sion of oppressed Jews abroad, but also of Catholics or  
any other oppressed minority. To get a start in that di-  
rection, the president recommended appointment of a  
committee, its membership to be drawn from several na-  
tions, to study and make suggestions. All we need to do,  
it seems, is to get the other nations to cooperate in some  
manner.

Judging by the lack of success of international con-  
ferences which sought to get somewhere in the past, the  
central European Jewish problem is far from solved.

## CALL FOR MR. BOWERS!

Has anybody seen Claude Bowers, author, statesman,  
democratic (Al Smith) keynoter, once referred to as United  
States ambassador to Spain?

Judging by what we have been able to read of him  
in the press, and hear of him on the radio, Mr. Bowers  
must be hiding in a tent somewhere.

To refresh the memory of those who might wish to  
send out an expedition to seek Mr. Bowers, the ambassa-  
dor was more or less prominent in the news about eighteen  
months ago when the first bombs of the Spanish civil war  
began rattling window panes in San Sebastian. As we  
were given to understand then, Mr. Bowers became  
alarmed. He put one foot in front of the other with haste.  
He got entirely out of Spain with alacrity. Later we heard  
of him at Hendaye, France, and ultimately he got on a  
United States cruiser. On the cruiser he was reported to  
have engaged in an argument with the officer in charge,  
perhaps under the impression that he was in command  
of the boat, having deserted the embassy.

Meanwhile ambassadorial affairs back in Madrid  
were in the hands of a second, third or fourth assistant  
whose name the administration has allowed us to forget.  
For a time news came through that the assistant was  
handling things very capably, considering that the boss  
was away.

We take it that the embassy has been moved to  
wherever the capital of loyalist Spain happens to be by  
the time this reaches the reader. Only the other day we  
heard that windows of the embassy had been shaken, or  
perhaps broken, by an insurgent bombing mission, but not  
a word did we hear about the ranking career man in  
charge taking wing.

Has anybody seen Mr. Bowers? No one, probably,  
wants to urge him back to Spain if he finds things there  
incompatible with his serene disposition, but to keep the  
roll of ambassadors up to date, we ought to know where  
Mr. Bowers is, and what he is doing with his office.

## COLLIER'S HITS

### PATMAN BILL ON CHAIN STORES

## Political Effort To De- stroy National Market Charged

New York, April 1.—Rallying to  
the defense of the American  
standard of living, Collier's maga-  
zine today assailed editorially the  
proposed Patman Federal chain  
store bill as "another political ef-  
fort to destroy national markets  
and to make business local rather  
than national."

The editorial which appeared  
under a bold-face warning: "Politi-  
cians, Watch Out!" charged that,  
"The effect of such efforts upon  
our standard of living is one of the  
vital considerations that politicians  
prefer to ignore," and added that  
consumers "seem to be politically  
negligible."

Under the Patman bill, the tax  
would graduate upwards from 10  
or more stores. A company would  
be forced to pay \$1,000 a store for  
all stores in excess of 500, multi-  
plied by the number of states in

## Brain Twizzlers

By  
PROF. J. D. FLINT



The old oriental philosopher says  
something about great deception  
often lies in simplicity. We agree  
100% in some cases. This is one of  
them. We may have tipped you off  
with that remark but if you don't  
see the discrepancy in the problem  
early in the study of it it will fool  
you as it has many others.

A wealthy young sportsman owned  
a high-powered roadster which he  
drove on many trips in the  
course of a year. After this particu-  
lar car had travelled twenty-four  
thousand miles he made an analysis  
of the service and performance that  
the car had given him before he  
made a decision—whether or not to  
buy another car of the same make.  
He was well satisfied with it on  
most scores and the only item that  
remained to be considered was the  
wear he got out of the brand of  
tires which he had used. He dis-  
covered that each of the six tires  
on the car had covered the same  
distance and they had worn fairly  
well. When he started figuring what  
the mileage was that each had trav-  
elled he became confused and made  
many calculations before he got the  
right answer. What was the right  
answer?

ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S  
TWIZZLER  
The amount of the exemption was  
\$21,387.00.

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## Railroads

### Babson Says Selected Railroad Bonds Are Good Purchases

Babson Park, Fla., April 1.—It is  
futile to blame any one group for  
our current railroad troubles. Let  
me say, however, that if any group  
can be blamed, it is railroad man-  
agements and railroad labor. From  
the moment that the Brotherhoods  
demanded higher wages early last  
summer, business confidence and  
activity started down-hill. The pay  
increase was finally given last  
October. It put railroad wage scales  
at all-time highs—above the 1929  
level. No increase was then war-  
ranted.

Instead of fighting the Brother-  
hoods' demands, managements paid  
the increase with their right hand  
and started firing thousands of  
workers with their left. Today,  
only six months later, the carriers  
are having the worst time in fif-  
teen years. If conditions do not  
change before the end of 1938,  
many more rail systems will be in  
receivership. Already one-third of  
the country's mileage is bankrupt.  
Last year about one-half the  
carriers lost money. In preliminary  
reports for February, 1938, net  
operating income of the Class I  
roads ran 80 per cent behind a  
year ago—and March was much  
worse!

## Revenues Down; Costs Up

What are the reasons for this  
black earnings picture? (Most in-  
vestors do not yet realize it, but  
the same reasons hold to a lesser  
extent in other industries.) Here's  
the answer: National industry is  
operating at only 65 per cent of  
capacity. Revenues are down 35  
per cent, but operating expenses  
are not; while interest charges and  
depreciation have not dropped a  
penny. Materials and service ex-  
penses are today more than in  
1933-4. Taxes are mounting to new  
peaks. American Telephone, for in-  
stance, reported that total taxes in  
1937 jumped \$20,800,000 while net  
operating income dropped \$12-  
500,000.

Recent earnings reports vividly  
illustrate my point. The difference  
between an average industrial com-  
pany and a railroad system is that  
the latter can not shut down. The  
Interstate Commerce Commission  
makes the railroads run just as  
often and employ almost the same  
number of train men. It is all  
wrong. During the last depression  
railroad traffic dropped just as  
low as it is now but they then had  
an opportunity to slash expenses.  
Today materials are up about 40  
per cent, taxes 25 per cent, and  
wages 15 per cent over the 1932-34  
depression levels.

## Five Major Problems

At the same time traffic is no  
higher now than in 1932-34; while  
freight rates are 10 per cent lower  
but will be only five per cent  
lower when new rates go into ef-  
fect; and passenger fares are 18  
per cent less. No wonder that the  
roads are up against it. Here is a  
little tabulation showing how spe-  
cific operating costs have increased  
since 1933:

Wages (two general advances),  
\$308,000,000. Unemployment insur-  
ance and pensions, \$81,000,000. Ma-  
terials (steel, lumber, coal), \$275-  
000,000. Total \$664,000,000.

If conditions do not change,  
revenues for the entire twelve  
months will be no better than in  
the lowest period of the depres-  
sion;—years when the railroad  
systems, as a whole, failed to earn  
enough to pay mortgage interest.

What are the basic troubles?  
First, everyone knows that trucks,  
buses, and automobiles have  
scooped a lot of the railroad busi-  
ness. Second, of course, is the in-  
crease in taxation. A third is the  
molly-coddling of labor for polit-  
ical reasons and the higher costs of  
such a policy. Fourth is the inter-  
ference with railroads by ignorant  
and selfish politicians. (Right now  
there is a bill before Congress to  
limit train-lengths to seventy cars.  
The idea is to make more useless  
jobs at a cost of \$150,000,000 an-  
nually.) Fifth is that manage-  
ments have too small a stake in  
their total enterprise. As a result,  
they are not so ready to fight for  
their real owners' (the stockhold-  
ers') rights.

## Five Life-Saving Possibilities

Is there any hope of overcoming  
these terrific problems? Several  
optimistic developments are on the  
horizon. First is the increase in  
turns, already granted. It should  
turn in around \$200,000,000 addi-  
tional revenues based on current  
traffic. It is not all that the roads  
asked for but too big a boost in  
rates would force traffic over to  
ships and trucks. Second is the  
cut in wages looming ahead. Man-  
agements have the courage to push  
these wage cuts now because they  
know that if present conditions  
should continue their own jobs will  
be in danger! A 10 per cent wage  
slash would keep another \$200-  
000,000 from draining out of the  
railroads' cash register.

Third, other expenses can be  
slashed. Big strides toward op-  
erating economies have been made  
in recent years. This trend can be  
emphasized. Loans for modern ef-  
ficient equipment by the R. F. C.  
will be a factor. Fourth, real con-

## LET'S EXPLORE YOUR MIND

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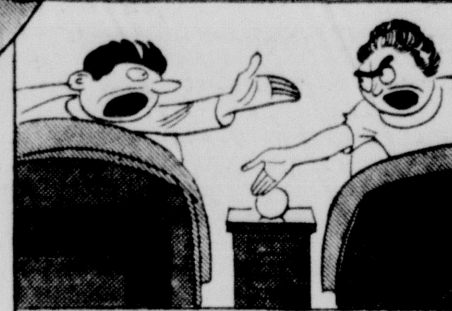
DOT—"I JUST CAN'T MAKE THIS OLD  
THING WORK."

DICK—"AW, LET A REAL MECHANIC SHOW  
YOU HOW. WOMEN DON'T INHERIT  
NATURAL MECHANICAL ABILITY  
LIKE MEN DO."

YOUR OPINION \_\_\_\_\_ 1



2  
IS YOUR  
HANDWRITING  
OF WORDS AND FIGURES  
LARGER OR SMALLER WHEN YOU  
ARE HAPPY OR WHEN YOU ARE  
DEPRESSED? YES OR NO \_\_\_\_\_



3  
WHICH TALKS MORE IN THEIR SLEEP—  
MEN RADICALS OR WOMEN RADICALS?  
YOUR OPINION \_\_\_\_\_

"The keenest anguish known to human nature is the pain of a new idea." (Bagehot). We hope this column brings you pain.

## Answer to Question No. 1

1. Dick was talking through his  
hat, according to a four-year study  
of aptitudes—especially mechanical  
aptitudes—by the psychologists of  
the University of Minnesota. They  
found that on tests that required  
inborn mechanical talent women  
college graduates do about as well  
as men college graduates but on  
tests that require merely mechani-  
cal training, women college gradu-  
ates do only about as well as eighth  
grade boys. They concluded—and  
this is immensely important not  
only for mechanical aptitudes but  
for the differences between men

and women in general—that women  
inherit just about as much mechani-  
cal aptitude or talent as do men  
and that the observed differences  
are chiefly due to the fact that men  
are trained more in handling tools  
and not to differences in heredity.  
Tomorrow's Study of Heredity—Is  
Cool-Headedness Inherited?

## Answer to Question No. 2

2. There is a distinct tendency to  
write figures larger when you are  
in a happy mood and somewhat  
lesser tendency to write words  
larger. When you are happy you  
seem to feel generally expansive all  
along the line. All this was found

out by Winifred Bent Johnson, a  
Stanford psychologist.

## Answer to Question No. 3

3. Maurice H. Kraut, Chicago  
psychologist, presented a study of  
this problem at the last meeting of  
the American Psychological Asso-  
ciation. He showed that men radi-  
cals talk more than women radicals  
in their sleep. Men are said also to  
snore more and louder than women.  
If so, possibly Dr. Kraut mistook  
the snoring for radical utterances.  
It is often hard to tell the differ-  
ence.

Tomorrow: Would women be as  
staunch if they did not think men  
demanded it?  
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## OBITUARY

CHARLES THOMAS LAMBERT  
(Contributed)

Charles Thomas Lambert was born  
May 30, 1868, in Hagerstown, Md.  
He came with his parents, Joshua  
and Susan Lambert, to Dixon in the  
spring of 1882 at the age of 14.  
His sisters, Carrie, Minnie, Ethel,  
Pearl, Myrtle and Ruth, and brother,  
Dave, Joe, Howard, and E. J.  
Joe, Ethel and Myrtle preceded him  
in death.

The deceased was united in mar-  
riage to Nellie Josephine Sadler  
Hine at Oak Ridge, November 2,  
1886, at the Methodist church in  
Dixon by Rev. Martin Cady. Unto  
them were born five children: Lena  
V., Floyd F., Lee C., John H., Lyle  
H. John passed away soon after  
birth. Floyd, working for the I. N.  
U. Co., was killed when he came in  
contact with a live wire in 1919  
soon after his return from the  
World war.

Mr. Lambert was converted to  
the Christian faith by Evangelist  
Billy Sunday and together with Mrs.  
Lambert was baptized in Rock river  
by Albert Billings and united with  
the First Baptist church of Dixon.  
Unable to attend the Baptist church  
owing to the distance, he attended  
the Brethren church which was  
near his home.

He died March 8, rather sudden-  
ly. The funeral services were held  
at 2 p. m. March 10, at the Melvin  
funeral home, the Rev. William  
Thompson officiating.

Two lovely songs were sung by  
two ladies from the Brethren church  
and the Scripture John 14 was  
read. Pall bearers were William  
Smythe, Charles Pyfer, Lester  
Cooper, R. Bovey, Harry Hines.  
Numerous friends and relatives of  
Franklin Grove, Oak Ridge, Rock-  
ford, Chicago, and Dixon attended  
the services.

Burial was in Oakwood cemetery.

## JUDGE TRIES TO DISMISS

ALL THE CASES HE CAN  
Athens, Ga.—(AP)—Judge Vin-  
cent Matthews of police court had  
the stripes taken off prisoners at  
the city stockade.

Now he is trying to see how  
many cases he can dismiss. If he  
can't dismiss the charge, he tries  
to put the offender on probation.  
"My idea," he explains, "is that  
the chief aim of police court  
should be to make good citizens.  
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if you can."

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old rock-pile, pick-and-shovel bash-  
for conducting the court."



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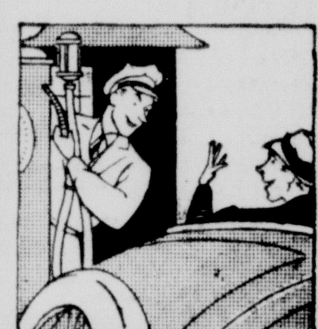
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# Society News

## CALENDAR

**Friday**  
Lee county chapter of American War Mothers—G. A. R. Hall.

**Saturday**  
D. A. R.—Miss Josephine Nichols

**Monday**  
Junior League, St. Anne's church Guild—Mrs. Charles Lesage.  
G. A. R. Circle—G. A. R. hall.  
Chapter AC, P. E. O.—Mrs. Helen McNamara.  
O. E. S. Parlor club—Masonic Temple.

**Tuesday**  
Baldwin auxiliary, U. S. W. V.—G. A. R. hall.

## Lampman-McClanahan Wedding Announced

Mrs. Mollie Frost, 401 Galena avenue, announces the marriage of her daughter Miss Marjorie Lampman, to Frank McClanahan, son of William McClanahan, Lowell park road, at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon in the young couple's newly furnished and decorated apartment in Mrs. Frost's residence.

The double ring ceremony, which ended the lives of these two popular young people, was performed by the Rev. Lloyd Warren Walter, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, in the presence of the immediate families and a few friends.

The bride, a former supervisor at the Katherine Shaw Bethea hospital, was attired in a cut velvet gown of robin's egg blue, with white accessories, and carried Talisman roses. Her bridesmaid, Lola Hess, wore blue and carried sweet peas. Russell McClanahan attended his brother, Mrs. McClanahan's going away outfit was of blue.

Following the ceremony the bride's mother served refreshments, after which the happy couple left for a visit in Chicago, returning from which they will be at home in their apartment.

The bride, a graduate of Dixon high school and the Katherine Shaw Bethea school of nursing, is a charming and talented young lady, while her husband is assistant manager of the Dixon Fruit Co., an energetic and sterling young man. The many friends of each will unite in wishing for their happiness and prosperity.

## CONTEST WINNER—

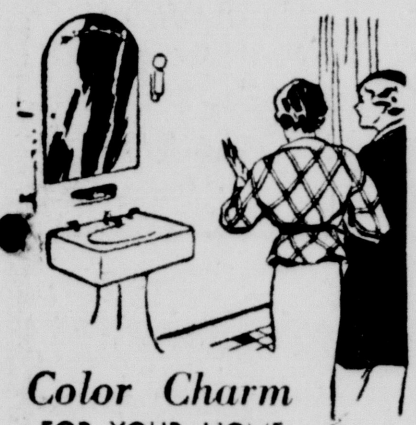
Mary Elaine Drew, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Omer Drew, 1023 Galena avenue, talented singer and dancer, received second prize of \$5 in the amateur contest under the auspices of the Lee county Home Bureau at Amboy Thursday evening. She was accompanied by Miss Anna Marie Crabtree.

## PRAIRIEVILLE SOCIAL CIRCLE—

The Prairieville Social Circle met with Mrs. Sol Rutt Wednesday, with 19 members, one guest and 4 children in attendance. There was no program, the afternoon being spent socially. Announcement was made that the next meeting of the circle will be held in the church on April 13.

## CHAPTER AC, P. E. O.—

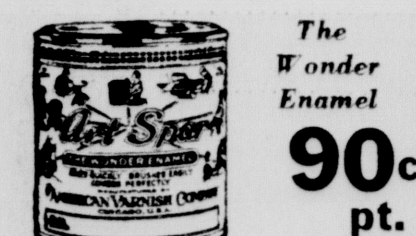
Chapter AC, P. E. O. will meet Monday at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. Helen McNamara, 217 E. Fellows street.



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## Adventures in Europe Told to Members of Foreign Travel Club Last Night by Dr. Eugene Vest

Borrowing the title "The Glorious Adventure" from Richard Halliburton would aptly describe the stimulating talk given by Dr. Eugene Vest last night before the members of the Dixon Foreign Travel club at the home of Mrs. Alice Beede.

Prefacing his remarks with his contempt for conducted tours, Dr. Vest proved with his intimate stories of European travel how easy it is to get around by one's self—and how satisfying an adventure it becomes. Equipped, as he is, with a thorough knowledge of the literary and artistic background of England, France, Germany and Italy, Dr. Vest's trip was anything but a picture-post-card journey around England and across the continent.

Ripping one's trousers at Stonehenge in England, sneaking into barred castles, swimming in the Blue Grotto, racing for trains to ride with chickens, geese and peasants all in a heterogeneous mixture and talking with everyone—from Scotch ladies of 90 years to fat old monks—to get his or her story isn't outlined in the book experiences for the average traveler. Because he did these things and for the sheer fun of it, made Dr. Vest's talk colorful with the breath of life.

Latin writers, he explained, worried him in school and caused him troubles, but seeing their bones in the Roman catacombs made him feel that now he was master, now he had the edge on them, for he was standing before them alive.

These catacombs, both in Paris and Rome, provided an interesting subject for the talk. In Paris, he explained, some three million persons are interred in these underground burial places and here bones are separated into lots of skulls, legs and arms and neatly arranged. "Here you feel," he said, "that you are walking the dusty road of death." In the Roman catacombs he felt "at home" when he chanced to meet two sailors from Clinton, Ia.

## Dixon Women Attend Concert in Rockford Yesterday Afternoon

Miss Evelyn Swarthout, a young American pianist of distinction, was guest artist of the Mendelssohn Club Concert at the Rockford theatre yesterday afternoon.

Miss Swarthout was graduated with high honors and bachelor of music degree from the University of Kansas in 1932. Two years of advanced work under Guy Maier preceded her enrolling under Tobias Matthay in London where she appeared frequently in public recital.

In 1932 she won the coveted Jeffrey Reynolds three year scholarship in competition with some of the foremost pianists in London.

Miss Swarthout is a granddaughter of Mrs. Ella Swarthout of 1024 Third street, a relative of Atty. Clyde Smith of Dixon and a distant cousin of Gladys Swarthout, celebrated mezzo-soprano of the Metropolitan Opera company and Hollywood.

Mrs. E. M. Goodsell, Mrs. Emma Ames and Mrs. Florence Plummer White attended the recital as guests of Mrs. Swarthout of Dixon.

## AMOMA SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS—

The Amoma Sunday school class of the First Baptist church met on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Ira Leggett with Mrs. Leo Youngblood as assistant hostess. The regular business for the month was taken care of, after which games were enjoyed by all. Delicious refreshments brought the evening to a close.

## COUNTY CONVENTION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS—

The county convention of women's clubs will be held in Dixon on Friday, April 22.

## Young People To Give Play At M. E. Church, April 19

"Don't Darken My Door," a comedy in three acts by Anne Coulter Martens will be given by a group of young people at the First Methodist church here Tuesday and Wednesday, April 19 and 20.

The cast of characters is as follows: Roger Keft, Tom Murphy; Rosemary Kent, Lucy Ellefson; Tom Garrick, John Mills; Poppy Foster, Margaret Sproul; Alec Stubbins, Harry Johnson; Jane Perkins, Mila Wolkne; and Louisa and Susie Featherstone, Norma Dugosh and Dorothy Brewster.

Rosemary Kent is the ardent reader of Jane Perkins novels which are super-romantic and highly charged with puppy love. She decides that men she knows are not romantic enough for her. She impresses these ideas on interested but very glib Poppy Foster who is courted by Alec Stubbins. Poppy eventually loses interest in Alec, under the influence of Rosemary's ideas. Rosemary lives with her uncle Roger Kent, a benevolent soul who obligingly turns the home upside down to conform with Rosemary's ideas of what she thinks a home should resemble. Tom Garrick, a suitor, is practically ejected when he comes to pay Rosemary a call because he is no longer romantic enough to suit her inasmuch as he is a practical-minded bond salesman.

Discussing the problem one day, Roger and Tom are surprised by Jane Perkins, the authoress who has caused this vexing situation. They explain their difficulties to Miss Perkins who conspires with them to work out a romantic life for Rosemary. Tom becomes the strong silent man in the case who has suffered much and meeting Rosemary secretly he persuades her to elope. Poppy discovers Alec has managed to win a new love interest in her and decides to marry him. Meanwhile Jane Perkins herself becomes enmeshed in the love plot with Roger as her idol. The two Featherstone sisters add humor to the production by looking at the budding romances through the thrilled envious eyes of two old spinsters. Mae Louise Eichler directs the production.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hasselman were pleasantly entertained by relatives and friends Sunday at their home on Mr. Hasselman's seventieth birthday anniversary. A banquet dinner was served at 1 o'clock, the table being decorated in pink and green.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. George Hasselman and daughter Joyce Irene of Beloit, Wisconsin; Mr. and Mrs. Chris Hepp and son Norris; Mr. and Mrs. Horace Horton; Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Hasselman, Mr. and Mrs. August Hasselman, John Hasselman, Jr., Mrs. Simeon Eastman and daughter Georgia, Mrs. M. Hepp, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. McMahon and Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Steward and family.

All departed wishing Mr. Hasselman many more happy birthdays.

## Mrs. Spellmeyer Is Honored At Shower

On Tuesday evening the Misses Lucille and Mabel Stultz entertained with a miscellaneous shower for Mrs. Helen Spellmeyer at her home. Mrs. Spellmeyer was Miss Helen Cline before her recent marriage.

The evening was enjoyed by playing airplane bunco which resulted in high prize being given to Florence Blackburn and consolation favor to Alma Ridderfjellike. The airplane prize was won by Mrs. Martha Paine.

Mrs. Spellmeyer was presented with many beautiful gifts. After dainty refreshments were served the guests departed wishing Mrs. Spellmeyer much happiness in her new home.

## Carol Christianson Elected to Phi Beta Kappa at University

Outstanding scholarship in the University of Illinois has won election to Phi Beta Kappa, liberal arts and sciences honorary scholarly organization, for Carol I. Christianson of Dixon it was announced today.

Election to Phi Beta Kappa is supreme recognition awarded for outstanding scholarship in liberal arts colleges or the liberal arts and sciences divisions of universities. Junior and seniors are chosen on the basis of their outstanding academic record. Phi Beta Kappa is recognized throughout the world.

Organizations similar to Phi Beta Kappa award recognition to outstanding scholars in other fields of learning—engineering, commerce, agriculture, journalism, and the like.

## Personals

Miss Marie Kelly spent today in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. George Their of West Brooklyn were Dixon shoppers yesterday.

—St. Anne's Junior League Food Sale, Saturday, at Sullivan's Drug Store.

Mrs. D. F. Fogel of Milledgeville was a Dixon visitor yesterday.

Mrs. Gwendeth Stoudt was here yesterday from Prophetstown.

The regular weekly meeting of the city council will be held this evening at 8 o'clock at the city hall.

Douglas Stultz of Franklin Grove was a business caller in Dixon last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Swartz and Mrs. J. W. Busby motored to Peoria and South Pekin yesterday to view the destruction of Wednesday's tornado, and they report press accounts of the disaster have in no way been exaggerated.

John M. Hammelman of Sterling transacted business in Dixon Thursday afternoon.

William L. Arndt of Erie motored to town Thursday on business.

Frank Wessendorf of Morrison was a visitor in Dixon yesterday.

Austin Weaver of Sterling shopped in Dixon yesterday.

Joe Blackburn of Harmon shopped and visited friends in Dixon Thursday.

John C. Gerdes of Palmyra township was a caller here yesterday.

Homer Erzinger has been promoted by the Miller-Jones firm and has relinquished management of the store here. He will leave for Mendota as traveling representative of the firm tomorrow.

Dr. V. A. Auriene will attend the Mid-State branch of the Illinois Association of Chiropractors at Jefferson hotel, Peoria, Sunday.

Atty. and Mrs. Albert Hanneken and family motored to Brookfield zoo Tuesday.

H. R. Pfundstein of Erie transacted business in Dixon Thursday.

James Fellows of Amboy was a visitor in this city Thursday.

Lloyd L. Johnson of Palmyra township was a caller in Dixon on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Albers of Palmyra were visitors with friends in Dixon yesterday.

Elmer Netz of Pennsylvania Corners was a caller in this city yesterday afternoon.

Amos Eberly of Nelson transacted business in Dixon yesterday.

James Corbin went to Preepore today on business.

Vincent Gorman of Ohio was a visitor in town yesterday afternoon.

Donald Ramsdell of Franklin Grove shopped and visited Dixon friends Thursday.

Miss Betty Schoaf of Nelson was a shopper here Thursday.

Mrs. Dickhoff drove down from Oregon Thursday to shop.

Mrs. Charles Todd, Mrs. Theodore Miller, Jr., and daughters Louise and Barbara were in Chicago Thursday.

Mrs. Edna Natress spent today in Chicago buying for her shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Westgate and family spent Tuesday in Chicago and made a visit to the Brookfield zoo.

**PARLOR CLUB—**

The O. E. S. Parlor club will meet Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Masonic Temple. Hostesses for the affair are Mrs. Harold Espy, chairman, Miss Pauline Hoberg, Mrs. R. H. Espy, Mrs. Dave Boos and Mrs. Grover Hoberg.

**BALDWIN AUXILIARY—**

Baldwin auxiliary, U. S. W. V., will meet Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in G. A. R. hall for an initiation service. All members are urged to be present. On Wednesday night the department president will be here.

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## NIGHT FLYING IS BANNED REST OF WAR GAMES

Honolulu, April 1—(AP)—The U. S. navy today banned night flying in the vicinity of the Hawaiian Islands as a result of two plane disasters that cost 11 lives during the current war games.

Despite the fatalities and the loss of three \$100,000 planes, naval officials said aircraft "performed wonderful services" as scouts during the mock defense of the Hawaiian Islands.

Six other planes were forced down at sea without damage.

Search for six men aboard a plane that disappeared during maneuvers Wednesday virtually was abandoned. Admiral Claude C. Bloch, commander-in-chief of the fleet, said "it is with regret that I conclude there is no hope of finding the plane or survivors."

Bodies of three fliers were recovered from a bombing plane which crashed off Oahu island yesterday. Two more bodies were believed still in the sunken fuselage.

The crew of a third plane forced down and sunk earlier was rescued.

Sixty-five surface vessels and 240 aircraft searching for the missing bomber were called in last night after all hope had been abandoned.

Of the Hawaiian accidents, a high naval official said blame for two was placed on motor trouble. Six others were due to storms, while the fate which befell the missing bomber was undetermined.

## Elgin Man Faces Bad Check Charge

Davenport, Ia., April 1—(AP)—Harold W. Wehrle, 25 of Elgin, Ill., who last night told police he had been robbed of \$71 and his automobile by a hitchhiker in Bettendorf, will be returned to the Illinois city today to face alleged bad check charges, according to Elgin officers who arrived here this morning.

The Elgin officers said they doubted Wehrle's story regarding the holdup. They said that Wehrle's father had the automobile in Elgin. They told officers here that Wehrle was arrested several days ago on a check charge and was released under \$1,500 bonds.

## \$2,900,000 State Funds Allocated For Gov't Units

Chicago, April 1—(AP)—Leo M. Lyons, executive secretary of the Illinois emergency relief commission, announced today \$2,900,000 of state funds had been recommended for allocation to local governmental units for April.

This represented 53.44 per cent of the estimated need for state funds in those units.

The Chicago relief administration asked the state for \$3,384,566 for relief needs during April, but was allotted \$1,934,632.

The 20 Latin American republics have more miles of air lines in regular operation than the United States or Europe.

## Bobby Jones Might Spring April Fool Joke, Win Tourney

Augusta, Ga., April 1—(AP)—There was a sneaking hunch around Augusta that this April Fool's Day might be the foolingest one since Sadie Warbucks got set six tricks with a perfect bridge hand.

This is the day Bobby Jones goes to the post again in the Augusta national invitation golf championship.

Because the great master, now 36 years old, hasn't been much better than a Sunday golfer since he descended from his world throne in 1930, he was rated by the bookies at 32 to 1 in a field of 44 starters.

Almost anybody but Bob was conceded a chance to win the tournament, which has dwindled in importance almost as fast as his game. And yet, there was a suspicion the man o' war of the fairways and bunkers might fool everybody, at least with enough fine golf to throw a scare into his field, by the time the finals are pulled off Sunday.

## CIVIL SERVICE EMPLOYEES WILL BE PROTECTED

Springfield, Ill., April 1—(AP)—W. Emory Lancaster, chairman of the Illinois civil service commission, pledged "protection" today to civil service employees refusing demands for services or contributions in political campaigns.

He stated his position in a letter to Henry P. Chandler, president of the civil service association of Chicago, adding that the policy of the commission had the "heartly support and approval" of Governor Horner. Chandler had expressed concern over what he said were reports that pressure had been put on civil service employees in recent weeks in behalf of both primary tickets.

"The public interest requires that civil service employees be protected from such pressure," he said, "and that they be informed in no uncertain terms that it is contrary to law and that they need pay no attention to it."

Lancaster said he was reminding all department heads in the state of the commission's position, requesting their co-operation.

Joseph Jefferson, who made the role of Rip Van Winkle famous on the stage, was also a landscape painter.

## JAP NEWSPAPER CONJURING U. S. NAVAL SCARE

Tokyo, April 1—(AP)—The recent presence of United States cruisers at the British naval base at Singapore was connected by newspaper reports today with a mystery warship which visited a mandated Japanese island in the night.

The newspaper Hochi quoting "various quarters"—the customary Japanese description of government sources—said a warship believed to be the American entered the harbor of Truk island at 2 a. m. the night of March 27, played its searchlights about and departed.

"Various quarters," said Hochi, recalled.

The visit of three United States war cruisers to Singapore when the British opened their new naval base last month.

The United States claim to Canton and Enderbury islands south of Hawaii which Japanese say would advance American air bases in Japan's direction.

The alleged fact that 1938 naval maneuvers by the United States now in progress off Hawaii heavily stress landing operations.

"The report the strange vessel might have been American was discounted by informed persons in Washington, who said the entire fleet maneuvering in Hawaiian waters was accounted for. General strategy called for operations within 100 miles of Hawaii."

Hochi, still quoting "various quarters" added: "It is only too clear the United States is practicing transpacific offensive operations."

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## TODAY'S MARKET REPORT

## MARKETS AT A GLANCE

(By The Associated Press)

**Stocks**—Firm; list rallies slowly. Bonds higher; secondary rails lead brisk upturn. Curb improves; oils favored in broad rally. Foreign exchanges steady; francs higher. Cotton irregular; May liquidation local buying. Sugar even; trade buying. Coffee lower; Brazilian selling. Wheat firm; responsive to Liverpool. Corn higher; selling pressure lacking. Hogs strong; 10-15 higher. Cattle 5-10 lower.

## Chicago Grain Table

(By The Associated Press)

	Open	High	Low	Close
<b>WHEAT</b>				
May	85 1/2	86 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2
July	81 1/2	82 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2
Sept.	82 1/2	83 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2
<b>CORN</b>				
May	60 1/2	61 1/2	60 1/2	61 1/2
July	62 1/2	63 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Sept.	62 1/2	63 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
<b>OATS</b>				
May	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
July	28 1/2	28 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Sept.	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
<b>SOY BEANS</b>				
May	99 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2
July	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2
Sept.	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2
<b>RYE</b>				
May	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
July	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2
Sept.	61 1/2	62 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2
<b>LARD</b>				
May	8.00	8.02	7.90	7.95
<b>BELLIES</b>				
May	10.70			

## Chicago Produce

Chicago, April 1—(AP)—Potatoes 51 on track 247, total U S shipments 665; old stock Idaho russets slightly stronger, demand fair, northern stock about steady, demand light, supplies moderate; sacked per cwt Idaho russet burbanks U S No. 1, 1.42 1/2 @ 50; Wisconsin round whites U S commercial 90. Apples 50 1/2 per lb; strawberries 35 1/2 @ 3 1/2 per 24 pt crates; oranges 1.75 @ 3 1/2 per box; lemons 3.25 @ 5.00 per box. Poultry live 27 trucks, unsettled; hens over 5 lbs 19 1/2 @ 19 1/2; fryers, plymouth rocks 25; white rock 25 1/2; turkeys, hens 26; young toms 21; other prices unchanged. Butter 692,920, unsettled; prices unchanged. Eggs 37,329, unsettled; storage packed extras 18 1/2; firsts 18 1/2; other prices unchanged. Butter futures, storage stds Nov 27 1/2. Egg futures, refrigerated Oct 20 1/2; storage packed firsts April 18 1/2; May 18 1/2.

## Chicago Livestock

Chicago, April 1—(AP)—Hogs 10,000 including 5000 direct; market slow, mostly 5-10 lower than Thursday's average; top 8.95; bulk good and choice 170-240 lbs 8.75 @ 9.5; 250-350 lbs 8.35 @ 7.0; good and choice 140-160 lbs 8.50 @ 9.0; good 350-500 lb packing sows 7.50 @ 7.75; most butcher kinds up to 8.00. Cattle 1000; calves 500, all killing classes active and strong, due to sharply abridged receipts; bulk steers common and medium grades, market mostly 10-15 higher; most steers and yearlings 7.00 @ 8.00; practical top in load lots 8.40; most heifers 6.75 @ 7.50; odd lots up to 8.50; most fat 5.50 @ 6.00; cutter grades 4.25 @ 5.25; few weighty sausage bulks up to 6.50; bulk of available supply 5.75 @ 6.25; vealers 25 higher; selected vealers up to 11.00; light kinds down. Sheep 7000 including 700 direct; late Thursday fat lambs closed steady to 15 higher; top 8.65; bulk 8.35 @ 9.0; strictly choice 105 lbs 8.30; today's fat lambs in fairly broad demand; choice woolled lambs 35 higher at 9.00 to shippers; packers resisting upturn; sheep relatively scarce, indications steady. Official estimated receipts tomorrow: cattle 200; hogs 5000; sheep 5000.

## Chicago Cash Grain

Chicago, April 1—(AP)—Wheat—No. 2 hard 92 1/2 @ 93; No. 3 mixed 87 1/2 @ 88 1/2; No. 4 86 1/2 @ 87 1/2; No. 5 85 1/2 @ 86 1/2; No. 6 84 1/2 @ 85 1/2; No. 7 83 1/2 @ 84 1/2; No. 8 82 1/2 @ 83 1/2; No. 9 81 1/2 @ 82 1/2; No. 10 80 1/2 @ 81 1/2; No. 11 79 1/2 @ 80 1/2; No. 12 78 1/2 @ 79 1/2; No. 13 77 1/2 @ 78 1/2; No. 14 76 1/2 @ 77 1/2; No. 15 75 1/2 @ 76 1/2; No. 16 74 1/2 @ 75 1/2; No. 17 73 1/2 @ 74 1/2; No. 18 72 1/2 @ 73 1/2; No. 19 71 1/2 @ 72 1/2; No. 20 70 1/2 @ 71 1/2; No. 21 69 1/2 @ 70 1/2; No. 22 68 1/2 @ 69 1/2; No. 23 67 1/2 @ 68 1/2; No. 24 66 1/2 @ 67 1/2; No. 25 65 1/2 @ 66 1/2; No. 26 64 1/2 @ 65 1/2; No. 27 63 1/2 @ 64 1/2; No. 28 62 1/2 @ 63 1/2; No. 29 61 1/2 @ 62 1/2; No. 30 60 1/2 @ 61 1/2; No. 31 59 1/2 @ 60 1/2; No. 32 58 1/2 @ 59 1/2; No. 33 57 1/2 @ 58 1/2; No. 34 56 1/2 @ 57 1/2; No. 35 55 1/2 @ 56 1/2; No. 36 54 1/2 @ 55 1/2; No. 37 53 1/2 @ 54 1/2; No. 38 52 1/2 @ 53 1/2; No. 39 51 1/2 @ 52 1/2; No. 40 50 1/2 @ 51 1/2; No. 41 49 1/2 @ 50 1/2; No. 42 48 1/2 @ 49 1/2; No. 43 47 1/2 @ 48 1/2; No. 44 46 1/2 @ 47 1/2; No. 45 45 1/2 @ 46 1/2; No. 46 44 1/2 @ 45 1/2; No. 47 43 1/2 @ 44 1/2; No. 48 42 1/2 @ 43 1/2; No. 49 41 1/2 @ 42 1/2; No. 50 40 1/2 @ 41 1/2; No. 51 39 1/2 @ 40 1/2; No. 52 38 1/2 @ 39 1/2; No. 53 37 1/2 @ 38 1/2; No. 54 36 1/2 @ 37 1/2; No. 55 35 1/2 @ 36 1/2; No. 56 34 1/2 @ 35 1/2; No. 57 33 1/2 @ 34 1/2; No. 58 32 1/2 @ 33 1/2; No. 59 31 1/2 @ 32 1/2; No. 60 30 1/2 @ 31 1/2; No. 61 29 1/2 @ 30 1/2; No. 62 28 1/2 @ 29 1/2; No. 63 27 1/2 @ 28 1/2; No. 64 26 1/2 @ 27 1/2; No. 65 25 1/2 @ 26 1/2; No. 66 24 1/2 @ 25 1/2; No. 67 23 1/2 @ 24 1/2; No. 68 22 1/2 @ 23 1/2; No. 69 21 1/2 @ 22 1/2; No. 70 20 1/2 @ 21 1/2; No. 71 19 1/2 @ 20 1/2; No. 72 18 1/2 @ 19 1/2; No. 73 17 1/2 @ 18 1/2; No. 74 16 1/2 @ 17 1/2; No. 75 15 1/2 @ 16 1/2; No. 76 14 1/2 @ 15 1/2; No. 77 13 1/2 @ 14 1/2; No. 78 12 1/2 @ 13 1/2; No. 79 11 1/2 @ 12 1/2; No. 80 10 1/2 @ 11 1/2; No. 81 9 1/2 @ 10 1/2; No. 82 8 1/2 @ 9 1/2; No. 83 7 1/2 @ 8 1/2; No. 84 6 1/2 @ 7 1/2; No. 85 5 1/2 @ 6 1/2; No. 86 4 1/2 @ 5 1/2; No. 87 3 1/2 @ 4 1/2; No. 88 2 1/2 @ 3 1/2; No. 89 1 1/2 @ 2 1/2; No. 90 1/2 @ 1 1/2; No. 91 1/4 @ 1 1/4; No. 92 1/8 @ 1/8; No. 93 1/16 @ 1/16; No. 94 1/32 @ 1/32; No. 95 1/64 @ 1/64; No. 96 1/128 @ 1/128; No. 97 1/256 @ 1/256; No. 98 1/512 @ 1/512; No. 99 1/1024 @ 1/1024; No. 100 1/2048 @ 1/2048.

## Wall Street Close

(By The Associated Press)

Alleghe Corp 1; Al Chem & Dye 12 1/2; Allied Sigs 3 1/2; Allis Ch Mfg 37 1/2; Am Can 78 1/2; Am Car & Fdy 14 1/2; Am & Pot Pow 2 1/2; Am Loco 13 1/2; Am Metal 25 1/2; Am Pot & Lt 5 1/2; Am Rad & St 9 1/2; Am Roco Mill 14 1/2; Am Smet & R 31 1/2; AH St Fdr 18 1/2; A T & T 112 1/2; Am Tob 62 1/2; Am Wat Wks 6 1/2; Amc 23 1/2; Arm III 4; A T & S F 24 1/2; Atl Ref 18 1/2; Aviat Corp 2 1/2; B & O 4 1/2; Barnsdall Oil 11 1/2; Bendix Aviat 9 1/2; Beth Stl 44; Borden Co 16 1/2; Borg Warner 17 1/2; Cal & Hec 6 1/2; Can Pac 5 1/2; Case 68; Caterpillar Tractor 31 1/2; Celanese Corp 10; Cerro De Pas 29 1/2; C & N W 4 1/2; Chrysler Corp 39 1/2; Col Palm P 7 1/2; Colum G & El 5 1/2; Coml Credit 24 1/2; Coml Invest Tr 31 1/2; Coml Sav 6 1/2; Com & South 1 1/2; Corn Prod 36; Curt Wr 3 1/2; Deere & Co 19 1/2; Del Lack & West 4 1/2; Douglas Airc 34 1/2; Du Pont De N 97 1/2; Eastman Kodak 126 1/2; Erie R R 27 1/2; Gen Elec 29 1/2; Gen Foods 23 1/2;

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## Franklin County Board Ordered To Retire Judgments

Benton, Ill., April 1—(AP)—The Franklin County board of supervisors was under strict orders today to retire judgments against the county in accordance with a mandamus order of June 16, 1932, after being cleared of contempt charges based on its failure to pay the judgments previously.

In dismissing the misconduct charges, Circuit Judge W. Joe Hill criticized the board for "looseness" in the conduct of county affairs. He ordered the maximum legal levy to retire the judgments be continued and warned the supervisors to reduce expenses.

The contempt charges were dismissed with the consent of the complainants, trustees of the Akin State Bank who hold a \$19,156.70 judgment against the county, and holders of other judgments.

At the hearing yesterday, Judge Hill commented that evidence has been introduced to show the board had overspent and tending to show the board had used for its own expenses an amount greater than levied.

## SLOT MACHINES WRECKED TODAY IN KANE COUNTY

Geneva, Ill., April 1—(AP)—A sledge hammer wielded by a husky deputy sheriff reduced to scrap metal today 22 slot machines which had been captured in raids recently.

The machines were seized in raids on 17 Kane county taverns by three constables from Elgin. State's Attorney Charles A. O'Connor took steps which led to destruction of the machines. Following Attorney General Kerner's written opinion that a lawsuit could be filed entitled the State of Illinois vs One Slot Machine, O'Connor filed 22 such suits before County Judge Olney C. Allen. The judge ruled the machines should be destroyed.

The machines were piled in the jail court yard and Deputy Sheriff Cecil Kelly wielded a sledge hammer. The machines were first emptied of all money, which the state's attorney is retaining for the owner. The catch is, however, that the owner may be prosecuted if he shows up.

The total value of the destroyed machines was placed at \$3,500 by O'Connor.

The machines were taken in raids at Dundee, in Elgin township near the city, and at St. Charles.

U. S. Chamber Of Commerce Gives Memphis Prize

Washington, April 1—(AP)—The United States Chamber of Commerce announced today Memphis, Tenn., won the grand award in the 1937 contest for the best record of fire prevention.

The contest was conducted by the national fire waste council in cooperation with the Chamber. Winners and cities given honorable mention included:

Park 20,000 to 50,000; Winner, Parkersburg, W. Va.; honorable mention: Burlington, Ia.

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## SAYS 'PHONE COMPANY COULD REDUCE COSTS

Washington, April 1—(AP)—Federal Communications Commissioner Paul A. Walker informed Congress today the Bell Telephone Company could reduce its rates 25 per cent by eliminating "unnecessarily high costs."

These costs, Walker said in a proposed report on the telephone investigation directed by the commission, result from manufacturing, engineering, depreciation, bookkeeping and other policies for which the American Telephone and Telegraph Company is responsible.

The A. T. and T., he added, has "complete control" of the Bell system, and the latter includes 90 per cent or more of the telephone industry.

Walker recommended that the Federal communications commission be given jurisdiction to "review, approve or disapprove all Bell system policies and practices promulgated by the central management group of the American Company."

Chairman Frank R. McNinch said Walker's findings did not constitute a commission report, but was submitted to the commission as the basis for a full report which the commission will later submit to Congress.

Another commissioner, T. A. M. Craven said he had been unable to agree with some of Walker's recommendations but added that the report "indicates the necessity for an improvement."

Music Educators Want Copyrights

St. Louis, April 1—(AP)—The nation's music educators were told today "what we need is a stronger copyright law" to provide "proper remuneration" for music composers.

"Further development of American musical culture depends to a great extent on the strengthening of the copyright laws," declared John G. Paine of New York, general manager of the American Society of composers, authors and publishers.

"America's record in the creation of music is poor," he said in an address before the music educators' national conference, "not because it lacks in talented citizens but because it is still too niggardly in its desire to reward those citizens."

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## BILL GIVING RFC NEW AUTHORITY PASSES SENATE

Washington, April 1—(AP)—The Senate passed today a bill to give reconstruction finance corporation wide new authority to lend to business enterprises. It also would divide RFC loans to states and subdivisions for public works construction.

The administration measure now goes to the House.

The bill, by Senator Glass (D-Va.) would extend the scope of RFC lending and permit that agency to make available approximately \$1,500,000,000 for long time loans.

Loans to states and subdivisions would be permitted not only on so-called "self-liquidating" projects, but on all projects where the RFC finds there is reasonable assurance of repayment.

Chairman Jesse H. Jones of the RFC testified the measure would make funds available for five, 10 or 15 year loans to business which commercial banks might not undertake.

Vice-President Garner, immediately after the roll call at the opening of the day's session, called for a voice vote on an amendment.

When a thin chorus of "ayes" was heard, he called for a vote on final passage of the bill. The measure carried by a second voice vote.

The RFC bill was one of several proposals under consideration by administration officials to aid business. Authoritative spokesmen disclosed the administration was attempting to batter down building prices in the hope of stimulating a construction boom.

This, they said, was one of the deeper motives of a presidential order requiring certificates of non-collusion from manufacturers selling building materials to the government.

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U. S. Chamber Of Commerce Gives Memphis Prize

Washington, April 1—(AP)—The United States Chamber of Commerce announced today Memphis, Tenn., won the grand award in the 1937 contest for the best record of fire prevention.

The contest was conducted by the national fire waste council in cooperation with the Chamber. Winners and cities given honorable mention included:

Park 20,000 to 50,000; Winner, Parkersburg, W. Va.; honorable mention: Burlington, Ia.

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## Preliminary—

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\$200,000; Baldwin Beach \$100,000; Astoria, \$50,000; Gillespie, \$20,000; Quiver Beach, \$15,000 to \$25,000. District Superintendent G. A. Zimmerman of the Northwestern Railroad estimated the damage at South Pekin at \$750,000. He fixed the loss of the railroad's roundhouse and office at \$200,000.

The Red Cross preliminary survey of the damage showed:

County	Families Bldgs. Dam.	Homeless	Dead	Aged
Tazewell	265	205	60	
Mason	8	3	12	
Brown	50	50	40	
Schuyler	125	125		
Fulton	30	30		
Woodford	10	5	30	
Adams	15	5	10	

## 100 Leaders Want FDR Attitude On Austrian Union

New York, April 1—(AP)—President Roosevelt was petitioned by more than 100 leaders of bench, bar, religious, civic, educational and labor organizations today to make "an open and affirmative announcement of the application of the diplomatic policy of non-recognition with regard to the forced annexation of Austria by Germany."

Signers of the petition, as announced by the Joint American Committee for Protection of Minorities, included William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor; Dr. Charles S. McFarland, secretary emeritus of the Federal Churches of Christ in America; Judge John P. McGorty of the Cook county, Illinois, Superior Court; the Very Rev. Edward J. Walsh, president of St. John's university, and the late Col. Edward M. House, war-time adviser of President Wilson.

"The situation cries out for a clear-cut statement of bed-rock policy: nonrecognition of gains accomplished by force," the petition said.

WORKERS UNOPPOSED

Laona, Wis., April 1—(AP)—For the first time since Monday, A. F. of L. employees of the Connon Lumber & Land company went to work today unopposed by rival CIO pickets who demand an open shop.

The 275 A. F. of L. workers had been forced to fight their way through picket lines the past three days.

Go to Church Sunday

## PHILADELPHIA MAYOR BOOSTED FOR SENATOR

Harrisburg, Pa., April 1—(AP)—United States Senator Joseph E. Guffy declared today for Mayor S. Davis Wilson of Philadelphia, for the Democratic nomination for U. S. Senator, revoking a previous endorsement given Gov. George H. Earle for that office.

Guffy split with the Democratic state committee over its slating of Charles Alvin Jones, Pittsburgh attorney for governor and threw his support to Thomas Kennedy, who is backed for that nomination by C. I. O. chieftain John L. Lewis. The committee also slated Earle for the Senate.

Guffy endorsed the entire ticket of Kennedy's running mates with Wilson substituted for Earle in this statement:

"Herewith I present to the Democratic electorate of Pennsylvania

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## REPUBLICANS TO GO AFTER VOTES IN PRIMARY POLL

Hope to Show Party is Going Somewhere in November Election

Chicago, April 1—(AP)—Illinois Republican leaders inaugurated a statewide campaign today to get out a larger G. O. P. vote in the April 12 primary than the party polled in 1936.

Edward P. Moore, Cook county party chairman, declared a heavy turnout of Republicans was necessary as a demonstration of party virility in advance of the November state and congressional elections.

He sent invitations welcoming all downstate Republicans chairman to attend a mass organization rally to be held here Monday for all the 4,353 Cook county precinct committeemen. At this meeting, designed to promote the "Vote Republican" drive, Richard J. Lyons, U. S. senatorial candidate, will make the major address of his Chicago primary campaign.

The meeting will be held in the Sherman hotel, campaign headquarters of the Horner-Lucas Democratic contingent.

"We are faced with a situation where many of the party workers feel it isn't necessary to work for a big Republican vote in this primary," Moore said. "They argue that because we have an approved ticket it is sure to win anyway."

**Big Vote Necessary**  
"It is sure to win, but we've got to get out a sizeable vote to prove the party is going to go someplace in November."

The Republican vote in 1936 trailed the Democratic more than 500,000.

The comparative vote two years ago was:

	Down state	Cook county	Total
Dem.	640,631	956,787	1,597,418
Rep.	636,849	440,346	1,077,195

Speaking at two Republican meetings last night Lyons asked that President Roosevelt name "the feudal lords he charges are preventing prosperity."

"The President now makes a vague accusation that a few feudal lords are attempting to hold up prosperity," he said. "I charge that he is merely attempting to incite class hatred, and that his statement is intended as another smoke screen to conceal the failure of the New Deal."

At the same time Michael L. Igoe and his Democratic opponent, Scott W. Lucas, addressed primary campaign crowds within a half block of each other on the west side.

**HOUSE CONTROL GOAL**  
Springfield, Ill., April 1—(AP)—Governor Horner's control of the Illinois House of Representatives is one of the big stakes involved in the Democratic primary fight.

While the Horner faction strives to unseat Kelly-Nash legislators in Cook county districts, some of the administration's staunchest supporters are in danger of elimination in downstate House contests.

In the rival Igoe-Campbell and Lucas-Lewis headquarters, both sides insist the backing of candidates is being left to the folks back home.

Enough individual fights are being waged with factional approval, however, for a swing in either direction to give the winning side the majority when the Democratic representatives organize for the 1939 session.

Horner men controlled the 1937 House, having more votes there than the Chicago group, which dominated the Senate.

**Republicans' Hopes**  
The Republicans, who have contents of a quieter nature in most of the districts, also have their eyes on a big goal. If they should pick up 10 or a dozen seats in November the G. O. P. would have a House majority and be able to elect the next speaker.

The hottest of the legislative fights involves Rep. Benjamin S. Adamowski of Chicago, Horner's young floor leader, who has been

## Singer



J. B. SMITH

A series of evangelistic services leading up to Easter will open at the First Christian church Sunday. The pastor, the Rev. James A. Barnett, will be assisted by Song Evangelist J. B. Smith, a ministerial student in Johnson Bible college, Kimberlin Heights, Knoxville, Tenn. Mr. Smith comes highly recommended both as a leader of song and as a soloist. He will have charge of the music and will sing a gospel solo each evening of the two-weeks effort. The services will be held nightly at 7:45 o'clock.

marked for retirement by the Kelly-Nash organization.

Horner partisans have endorsed at least seven House candidates from Chicago. Aside from Adamowski, the most prominent is James Weber Linn, author and English professor at the University of Chicago. Linn comes from the district now represented in the Senate by Prof. T. V. Smith, Horner choice for congressman-at-large.

**Downstate Situation**  
Downstate most of the House Democrats pay allegiance to the governor, but adherents to the other faction are running in many districts.

Thomas A. Bolger of McHenry, House revenue chairman, is one of the administration leaders facing a fight. The Igoe-Campbell men are reported backing Joseph A. Jadrich of North Chicago for the only Democratic seat in the Waukegan district.

Joseph Sam Perry of Wheaton, a Horner man, also had opposition but it apparently hasn't centered on any of his five opponents.

The Cairo-Benton district has eight Democrats, widely split, seeking two nominations, one of which in past campaigns went to Speaker Louie E. Lewis, now an aspirant for state treasurer.

## TO MAKE FUNDS AVAILABLE TO DEPOSITORS

Washington, April 1—(AP)—The federal deposit insurance corporation announced tentative plans today whereby funds due 4300 depositors of the closed Belleville Bank & Trust Company, Belleville, Ill., would be made available to them soon at the First National Bank of Belleville.

Under the plan, the corporation would lend \$200,000 to the First National on the assets of the closed bank. The First National would assume the trust company's liabilities. Chairman Leo T. Crowley of the FDIC said its representatives in Illinois reported favorable on the proposed loan and the corporation's loan committee would meet tomorrow to consider the plan. He said he expected the corporation's board of directors to approve on Monday whatever action the loan committee took tomorrow.

Crowley added a definite date for paying the depositors would be announced "immediately upon completion of the necessary preliminary negotiations."

## HOOVER URGES INDEPENDENCE BY GOVERNMENT

Former President Talks of His Observations on European Tour

New York, April 1—(AP)—The United States, says Herbert Hoover, should avoid alliance with other democratic nations against fascist powers, and at the same time be wary lest fascism take root in this country through "planned economy."

"I found most nations in Europe convinced that we would be inevitably drawn into the next great war as in the last," said the former president, just back from Europe, in an address last night before the council on foreign relations.

"Some people build confident hope upon it," he said. "But every phase of this picture should harden our resolves that we keep out of other people's wars. Nations in Europe need to be convinced that this is our policy."

**Finds Insistence for Combine**  
"I find in many quarters of Europe and some in America an insistence that, as democracy is endangered by the rise of dictatorships and authoritarian governments, therefore democracies should join in some sort of mutual undertaking for protective action."

"These ideas were greatly stimulated and encouraged by the word 'quarantine' from these shores. Such proposals, if sincere, involve more than mere good words. Anything honest in that direction implies the pledge of some sort of joint military or economic action by the United States with other powers. We may as well be blunt about it."

"If we join with the two other powerful democracies, Great Britain and France, we are engaging ourselves in an alliance directed against Germany and Italy and all the satellites they can collect, but we are doing more than this."

**Warns of European Snares**  
"Great Britain has her own national and imperial problems and policies. Any commitment of ourselves will mean that we are dragged into these policies. France has her own special alliances and her own policies, including an alliance with Communist Russia. We would be supporting Stalin."

"But more than all this we would be fostering the worst thing that can happen to civilization, that is, the building up of a war between government faiths or ideologies. Such a combination of democracies would at once result in combining the autocracies against the democracies. It could have all the hideous elements of old religious wars."

"We should have none of it. If the world is to keep peace we must keep peace with dictatorships as well as with popular governments. The forms of government which other people pass through in working out their destinies is not our business."

**Describes Seven World Forces**  
Hoover said his trip abroad—the first in nineteen years—had shown him seven obvious forces or factors which have come to the forefront since the end of the World war.

"The first of these is the rise of dictatorships—totalitarian, authoritarian, or centralized governments, all with so-called planned economies," he said.

"The second great movement today, partly cause and partly effect, is the race to arms. Every nation in Europe—communist, fascist, democratic—is building for war of defense more feverishly than ever before in its history."

"The third process in motion is increased government debts and deficits. There is hardly a balanced budget in Europe—that is, if we strip off the disguises of words. Another inflation in some form seems inevitable."

**Seek Self-Sufficiency**  
"The fourth movement is that every European nation is striving for more and more self-sufficiency."

in industry and food production for either military reasons or to meet the necessities of planned economy. This applies not only to the Fascist and communist areas but in some degree even to England and France.

"The old-fashioned barrier to imports by simple tariffs has proved inadequate to protect these policies. New and far more effective walls have been erected around each nation, internal price fixing, clearing agreements, and intergovernmental agreements on both purchases and sales."

**General War Feared**  
"The fifth factor is the failure of the League of Nations as a potent force for peace and its complete replacement by the old shifting balances of power."

"The seventh force is the steady increase in some nations of brutality, of terrorism, and disregard for both life and justice."

## NEWS OF THE CHURCHES

**SUGAR GROVE CHURCH**  
Sunday school 1:30 P. M.  
Church service 2:30 P. M.  
Sermon by Rev. H. P. Buxton.

**DIXON STATE HOSPITAL**  
Church service at 3:15 P. M.  
Sermon by Rev. W. E. Thompson.

**DIXON MINISTERIAL ASSN.**  
Regular monthly meeting, Monday, 10:00 A. M. in the Methodist church study.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Herbert J. Doran, Pastor  
Church school 9:30 A. M., Robert P. Preston, Suppt.

Morning worship 10:45 A. M.  
Theme, "What Can I Believe About God, in the Light of Modern Science?"

The sermon Sunday morning will begin a series of three sermons on great Christian beliefs. The remaining sermons of the series will be as follows: Palm Sunday, "What Can I Believe About Christ, in the Light of the Cross?"; and Easter Sunday, "What Can I Believe About Myself, in the Light of Easter?"

The session will meet Sunday evening at the church at 7:30 P. M. The Auxiliary will meet Tuesday evening.

The annual congregational meeting will be held on Wednesday evening, following a scramble supper at 6:30 P. M. All friends as well as members of the church are invited to be present. There will be the election of officers and reports of church organizations.

The Mothers' Study club will meet Thursday evening at 7:30 at the home of Mrs. V. E. Storey, 422 S. Dixon Ave.

The Candle Lighters will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. S. Rosecrans, 316 South Dixon Ave.

All members of the congregation are urged to attend the union Lenten service, tonight at 7:45 in the Methodist church. Dr. Harold Leonard Bowman, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Chicago, will preach. The Dixon Presbyterian choir will sing.

**PASTOR IS A COP, TOO**

El Centro, Calif.—(AP)—The Rev. Mr. Harold E. Doty is one of the few pastors who can use more than persuasion on wayward members of his flock. He can put them in jail if necessary.

Mr. Doty wears a police captain's badge, recently presented by Chief J. Sterling Oswald with the suggestion to make use of it.

About 2700 calories are furnished by a pound of first-grade peanuts; more than three times as many as furnished by a pound of beefsteak.

## Mount Morris Doings

Mrs. Pauline Yoe, Reporter

### NEW GOLF COURSE

Tomorrow will be a gala day for almost everyone in Mt. Morris except the golf widows, and even they will have an enjoyable evening to look forward to.

Ideal weather conditions the past week or so make it possible to officially open the 1938 season at the new Sunset golf course for play tomorrow. Final arrangements have been completed also for the banquet for members and prospective members and will take place at Kabie Inn tomorrow evening. A large share of the 125 members are planning to be on hand for the first social event of the organization.

### LEGION AUXILIARY

Mrs. S. E. Avey, Mrs. Oscar Doward and Mrs. Harvey Miller will be hostesses when the members of the American Legion auxiliary meet in the Legion hall on Tuesday evening.

### WROK BROADCAST

Mrs. Leland Tilton of Ashton, and a member of the Chana Woman's club will give an interesting talk over station WROK on Thursday afternoon on the Woman of the Hour program. Mrs. Tilton, who is 13th district chairman of press and publicity will give outstanding events of the various clubs in the district. Music for the program will be furnished by members of the Chana club and Mrs. Julia Coking, president of the club will announce. This program is presented by Mrs. Paul Yoe, chairman for radio for this district.

**TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Fifth Sunday in Lent:  
The man or woman who has no church affiliation will find a hearty welcome at the services in this church. Those who stand for the things for which we stand are cordially invited to affiliate themselves with us for the carrying on of the work. "The church needs you and you need the church."

The program for the next Sunday and the following week is as follows:

10 A. M. morning worship. Sermon: "The Gospel and the Sacraments in the Building of the Church."  
11:00 A. M. The church school—a class for all ages.  
2:00 P. M. The confirmation class.  
3:00 P. M. The Erva Moody Circle (Mission).  
6:00 P. M. Luther League.  
7:00 P. M. Lenten Vespers. Sermon: "The Apostles' Creed and the Building of the Church."

7:30 P. M. Wednesday Lenten service. Rev. Love of Monroe, Wis., is the preacher for the evening.  
2:30 P. M. Thursday, Ladies Aid meets at the church.  
7:00 P. M. Thursday, choir practice.

**CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Harold Patterson, principal of the grade school will give the sermon Sunday morning.

Rev. N. E. Bolinger's service in his new pastorate at the Fifteenth Avenue church in Rock Island starts Sunday. There will be a period of five weeks before Rev. W. Harold Witz of Havana arrives in Mt. Morris to take over his duties as pastor of the local church. In the meantime services will be under the direction of Harold Florea, chairman of the pulpit committee. Rev. Merlin Hawbecker will preach at the service next Sunday and a pastor from Eureka college will fill the pulpit on Easter Sunday. E. R. Henricks and Harold Patterson will fill the pulpit on the following Sundays.

**METHODIST EPISCOPAL**  
The Lenten worship service at 10 a. m. The general themes of the sermons through Lent have been "Great Christian Affirmations" and this week the topic will be "I Believe in Prayers." The choir, directed by Jane Harris Stiles, will furnish the musical part of the service.

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## CHINESE CARRY ON DESPERATE RESISTANCE

Shanghai, April 1—(AP)—With backs to battered walls, Chinese are carrying on a desperate defense of Taichewang, little city on a narrow-gauge railroad east of the main Tientsin-Pukow line in Shantung province.

After eight days of fierce street fighting and a brief lull today Japanese shock troops, preceded by tanks, launched a new attack.

An artillery barrage, laid down from the railway track emplacements, covered their sally. Fighting continued in every street and every building.

Meanwhile, Chinese attacked at other points on a 150-mile central China front along the Tientsin-Pukow railway from Lincheng northward to Tsinan.

Japanese held the majority of walled towns in the area, Chinese flanking columns from west of the railroad repeatedly attacked Japanese positions and said they were demoralizing Japanese supply lines.

An indication of Japanese losses was the report of French concession police that 150 Japanese wounded had been brought each day for the past week from the comparatively quiet Hangchow sector, southwest of Shanghai.

The division of Lieut.-Gen. Rensuke Isogai, Japan's military attaché in China just before the outbreak of war, was said to have suffered extremely heavy losses. It has been operating on the Tientsin-Pukow railway front.

## Happy Birthday

**APRIL 1**  
Mrs. Edward Harvey, 517 College avenue; Edward Nozick, 517 Logan avenue; Mrs. Mary Blackburn, Galena avenue and Tenth street; Chester Zalecki, 1006 Galena ave.

**APRIL 2**  
Mrs. Raymond Hillson; Betty Foster, Sublette; Doris Wisner, 11 Mildred Bartlett, Sublette; Kenneth Stanley, rt. 3; Dorothy Wright, Nelson.

**APRIL 3**  
Mrs. Ora Holderman, 123 Lincoln ave.; Joseph E. Villiger, pharmacist; Wanda Smith, route 4; Jane Siemens, Franklin Grove; Cletus Jeanblanc, West Brooklyn; James Snyder, Compton; Charlotte Bothe, Franklin Grove; Edward Manon Harmon.

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## HORNER PLANS ROCKFORD TALK

Mass Meeting Will Be Held Saturday At Shrine Temple

Governor Henry Horner will leave his Cook county campaign to address a mass meeting in Rockford at 7:30 P. M. Saturday in behalf of Scott Lucas, Democratic candidate for United States senator and other candidates bearing the endorsement of 101 Democratic county chairmen.

Edward T. O'Shea, Winnebago county chairman, will preside and will introduce county and district candidates. The meeting will be held in Shrine Temple.

Leaders of agriculture, labor, veterans, women and young Democratic organizations in Winnebago county are arranging for a capacity crowd to hear Governor Horner's address on issues of the campaign.

The state ticket that bears the Horner - Courtney, endorsement consists of Lucas for senator, Louie E. Lewis for state treasurer, Frank A. Jensen for superintendent of public instruction, Adam F. Block, for clerk of supreme court, T. V. Smith and Thomas L. O'Hern, for congressman-at-large.

## INVESTIGATION OF UNION FRAUD SCHEME OPENED

Washington, April 1—(AP)—Justice department officials said today that they had ordered a thorough investigation of an alleged conspiracy involving Chicago building union leaders a plumbing "czar" and several plumbing contractors to defraud the government on plumbing contracts for five federal housing projects.

The investigation was ordered at the request of Secretary Ickes who expressed disappointment that an inquiry conducted a year ago failed to lead to criminal prosecution.

Charles Carr, special assistant to Attorney General Cummings, will conduct the investigation.

The previous investigation was directed by Colonel James Ruffin. Ruffin's inquiry included examination of complaints affecting the St. Louis area as well as Cook county, Ill.

One in every 14 persons in England holds a license to drive an automobile.

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# News of Today from Lee, Ogle and Bureau Counties

## Ashton News of the Day

By Mrs. W. H. Yenerich, Phone 119

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley C. Krug and Mrs. Krug's brother, Elmer Miller of Franklin Grove motored to Chicago Sunday morning. They spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Krug's son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Krug.

Miss Elizabeth Fellows spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Fellows, who reside south of Dixon.

Mrs. George Eisenberg is spending this week with her granddaughter, Mrs. Arnold Frey, in Cortland. Mr. and Mrs. Frey have recently moved from DeKalb to their new home in Cortland.

Miss Alta Wagner spent Wednesday shopping in Rockford.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Starks who recently moved to Ashton, spent Sunday in Dixon with Mrs. Starks' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Krug. Karl and Betty Shaver, son and daughter of Mrs. Nettie Shaver of Dixon are spending their spring vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Vaupel in Bradford township.

Mrs. Florence Heatherington of Des Moines, Ia., has come to spend the summer with her daughter, Mrs. Clive M. Glosser and family.

The April meeting of the Willing Workers' class of the Evangelical Sunday school will be held next Wednesday, April 6, in the church basement. The meeting will begin at 2 o'clock and the committee in charge of the afternoon's entertainment is composed of Mrs. Milton Vaupel, chairman; Mrs. Oliver Krug and Mrs. Bessie Utz. All members and friends of the class are invited to be present.

Mrs. Roy J. Krug and Mrs. Bert Vogler spent Wednesday afternoon in Dixon. Mrs. Vogler visited her sister-in-law, Mrs. Charles Mall, who is a patient at the Katherine Shaw Bethel hospital. Mrs. Mall, who has been quite ill, is showing a marked improvement.

Miss Ethel Smith of Steward spent the weekend here with relatives and friends.

The Loyal Sons class of the Evangelical Sunday school met in the church basement Tuesday evening. A short business meeting was held, presided over by Lyle Naylor, the class president, and the devotion was in charge of William Bailey.

The remainder of the evening was spent playing "Cross Word Letters" and later refreshments of cake and jelly were served by the committee composed of Donald Scharpf, Ralph Kurth, Glenn Kersten and Lyle Naylor.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. Cecil Calhoun next Wednesday, April 6. Mrs. John Drummond and Mrs. Henry Vaupel will assist Mrs. Calhoun in entertaining.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Ewald of Steward spent Sunday afternoon and remained for supper with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Henert, who reside west of town. Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Heinroth of Eldena were also afternoon callers at the Henert home. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Henert and Mrs. Grace Smith spent Sunday evening with the Henerts.

All members of the mission band of the Evangelical church are urged to be present at the April meeting to be held in the church basement next Sunday morning at 10:30. Miss Arlene Butler will have charge of the devotion, and the new study book will be started. The title of this book is "Broken Guns" and deals with World Peace. The children will want to be present at each meeting and hear this book study. There will be special music at this meeting.

The Royal Neighbors will meet at the home of Mrs. John Weiskner next Thursday evening, April 7. The meeting will begin at 7:30 o'clock. There will be a social hour and refreshments.

Miss Rose Kersten and Mrs. Ervin Kersten returned Tuesday evening from Rochester, Minn. Miss Rose has been at Mayo Brothers the past week for observation and treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Seebach of Dysart, Ia., and Mrs. Andrew Gonnemann of Marshalltown, Ia., returned to their respective homes Monday afternoon, after being called here by the illness of Mrs. Charles Mall, who is a patient at the Katherine Shaw Bethel hospital in Dixon. Mrs. Seebach and Mrs. Gonnemann are sisters of Mrs. Mall, whose condition is improving, to the satisfaction of her many friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto W. Schade were host and hostess to the members of the Dixon Music club in the American Legion room of the Mills and Petrie Memorial building Tuesday evening.

The Legion room took on a home-like appearance with the addition of several bowls of tulips and other spring flowers. Mr. and Mrs. Schade had on display some Japanese kimonos and Balinese wood carving, besides other souvenirs which they brought home from their world cruise.

The evening was spent in showing motion pictures of India, China and Shanghai and of special interest was a colored reel. At a late hour the 38 guests were served lunch.

Those from out of town present were: Mr. and Mrs. Grover Gehant,

Miss Lola Quick, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ridolph, Misses Gracie and Laura Rogers, Amos Bosworth, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Ball, Margaret Scriven, Mr. Rocks, Mr. and Mrs. William Haefliger, William and Marie Haefliger, Ruth Dysart, Miss Esther Barton, Mrs. Mayme Stratton, Miss Clara Arrington, Louis Snow, Mrs. S. W. Schmar, Dorothy Hurst, Clinton Fahrney, Mrs. Collins Dysart and Dr. and Mrs. McNichols, all of Dixon; Mrs. Frank Carney, Vincent Carney and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Blenfang of Rochelle; and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Emmert of Nachusa.

Pictures of the Ashton Woman's club, taken by Faust H. Boyd, are now ready for delivery. Mrs. Milton Vaupel is receiving orders for them. All who signed for copies and any others who wish copies should contact Mrs. Vaupel at once. The price is 40c per picture.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto W. Schade will present their illustrated lecture "Around the World" in the Methodist Episcopal church at 8 o'clock on Monday evening, April 18, according to an announcement made by Mrs. A. J. Orner, ways and means chairman of the Ashton Woman's club. Advance notice is being given to the public for many will want to save that evening to hear the interesting personal account of the experiences of Ashton's returned travelers.

Friday, April 22 is another date which members of Lee County Woman's clubs will want to reserve, for Mrs. Frank Nangle of Paw Paw, president of the county federation, has issued a call for a county convention in Dixon on that date. Consummating the year's activities of the county federation, the spring convention is an annual red letter day. Ashton is to be given a place on the program, according to early program plans.

On Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, 38 girls met in the ages of 10 and 18 years met in the Boy Scout room of the Mills and Petrie Memorial building to organize a Girl Scout troop. The Woman's club is backing this organization, with Miss Sarah Gnagey as captain, assisted by Mrs. Wallace G. Clover.

The troop was divided into four patrols with the following selected as patrol leaders and assistants: Patrol No. 1—Leader, Rosemary Torrens, assistant, Lois Kendall; No. 2—Leader, Gwendolyn Schaller, assistant, Shirley Schabacker; No. 3—Leader, Doris Mae Klingebiel, assistant, Esther Boyd; No. 4—Leader, Mauri Ventler, assistant, Betty Jean Olson. Evelyn Kersten was elected as scribe and Dorothy Moye as treasurer.

The court of honor met at the close of the meeting and plans were made for a wienie roast to be held next Tuesday afternoon at Griffith Park.

The Girl Scouts will meet each Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock and an invitation is extended to all girls in this community to join, if interested in this movement.

The Welfare Committee of the Woman's club has contributed the following article in the interest of safety for our children:

Nearly 13 per cent of all persons killed by automobiles are children under 15 years of age.

Many drivers are careful on congested business streets but forget there are children in the residential districts. Some children use the street as a playground or dash into the street for a ball. Therefore every driver should have his car under such control that he can stop immediately in such an emergency.

Watch for children playing near the curb, passing school or playground, on bicycles, roller skates, etc., hitchhiking on the vehicle ahead, passing ice wagon or street sprinkler and on hills in winter where children may be coasting.

Drivers should remember the following: 1. Caution your children about danger of the street. 2. Do not allow riding on your running board, rear tire, or bumper. 3. Children on bicycles, sleds or roller skates should not hitch on to your car. 4. It is bad to form the habit of giving a child a "lift" to and from school. They may even stand in the street to hail a ride.

### CHURCH NEWS

**Presbyterian Church**  
Rev. F. Louis Grafton, pastor  
Sunday school—9:30 A. M.  
Morning worship—10:30 A. M.  
We will celebrate the Lord's supper at this service and every one is cordially invited to partake of communion with us.

**Reynolds and Scarboro Evangelical Churches**  
Rev. George A. Walter, pastor  
W. B. Tarr, assistant pastor  
Reynolds church—  
Sunday school—9:30 A. M.  
Morning worship—10:30 A. M.  
Evening service to be arranged.  
Scarboro church—  
Sunday school—10 A. M.  
Morning worship—11 A. M.  
No evening service—E. L. C. E. attends at Steward at 7 P. M.

A banner attendance at both churches last Sunday morning. How encouraging to see so many coming to the place of worship during the Lenten season. However both of the pastor's missed some at the services. If those who were absent will make a big effort to be present next Sunday and those

who were there last Sunday come, the attendance next Sunday will still show a fine increase. That is as it should be.

The Reynolds Sunday school is preparing a fine Easter program to be given on Easter Sunday. How delightful for the committee when all members of the school co-operate in this work.

The annual meeting of the Reynolds congregation will be held this Friday evening in the church. Let every member who can be present at this important meeting. Annual reports will be given, several trustees will come up for discussion and solution.

The annual business meeting of the Scarboro church will be held in the church, Monday evening, April 4 at 8 o'clock. All members who possibly can should be present. The W. M. S. of the Reynolds church meets in the home of Mrs. Glen Henert, Thursday, April 7 at 1:30 P. M.

**Methodist Church**  
Rev. Ralph M. Dreger, pastor  
Sunday school at 9 A. M.  
Worship service—10 A. M.  
The sermon topic this Sunday will be "Thou art the Christ"—based upon Peter's declaration. There will be a special story service for the children and special music from the children's choir.

Epworth league meets at 6 P. M. Robert Rosekrans is the leader. Members of the group are now working on their play, "The Testing Hour," which is to be presented Friday, April 8 at 8 P. M. at the church.

Let us all be in a spirit of self-examination during this Lenten season, in order that we may find further ways of advancing Christ's kingdom in this community and throughout the world.

**Evangelical Church**  
Rev. Park O. Bailey, pastor  
Sunday school—9:30 A. M.  
Morning worship—hour—10:30 o'clock.

Mission band—10:30 A. M. Let all the children attend Sunday evening service will be given over to the high school glee clubs, who will give a program at 7:30.

We urge the members and friends of our church to give their full co-operation and support to our church. We will soon close this conference year. We need your financial, spiritual, and prayerful backing. Let us make the next three Sundays well worth while in Christian activities.

Be sure to roll the money into our Easter offering boxes. Put a coin in at every meal. The Lord will bless our efforts.

"Day after Day"  
This is the way  
Our Easter offering  
Will surely pay."

**St. John's Lutheran Church**  
Rev. F. W. Henke, pastor  
Sunday school and Bible class at 9:30 A. M.

Divine worship—10:30 A. M. Sermon subject: "I Believe in God, the Father Almighty." You are cordially invited to our services.

The catechisms will be examined in the Lord's Prayer, baptism and holy communion during the Bible class hour. You are welcome.

The St. John's Aid meets in regular session Thursday, April 7 at 1:30 P. M.

Special Lenten services every Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Have you attended every Lenten service?

## WALTON

Walton—The farmers are busy sowing oats taking advantage of the nice weather.

David McCaffrey of DeKalb is spending this week at his farm. Housecleaning is the order of the day.

A home talent play is to be staged in the hall in the near future.

P. W. Whalen, a former resident of this community, is seriously ill at his home in Billings, Mont.

William Gugerty and family motored to Rockford on Tuesday. Several from this community attended the H. H. Badger sale Thursday.

James Dumphy of Harmon called on friends recently. Ed Sullivan and family have moved to Amboy. Wedding bells are ringing.

**CHURCH NOTES**  
Church of the Brethren  
H. Jesse Baker, pastor

10:00—11:00 A. M. Sunday school hour.

11:00—Morning worship. Theme: "Making A Living, and Making A Life."

7:00—7:30 P. M.—B. Y. P. D.

7:30—8:15 — Evening worship. Theme: "The Soul's Whispering Gallery."

Sunday school attendance last Sunday was 245. The average attendance for the quarter, 161.

A deputation from the Bethany Biblical Seminary, Chicago, will present a program here in the near future. Watch for the date.

Our young people are busy preparing an Easter play to be given Easter Sunday.

**First Presbyterian Church**  
Richard Paul Graebel, minister

A luncheon for April 7 to which all the women of the church are invited has been announced. Reservations with Mrs. J. G. Seise before Wednesday noon are requested.

Sunday, April 3:  
Sunday school at 1 o'clock. Louise Coffey, Helen Copenhagen, Roberta Raymond and Mary Seise are planning a special part in the morning program.

Public worship at 11 o'clock. Theme: "Glittering Goals" is the

day. At a business session plans

## Oregon Happenings

By Mrs. A. Tilton, Phone 189L

**IN GOLF TOURNAMENT**  
Miss Martha Betty Putnam who has won many golf honors while attending the University of Arizona the past year is being sent to Phoenix this week by the university, accompanied by the instructor to participate in the state tournament.

**BAKE SALE**  
The Oregon Woman's Relief Corps will hold a sale of baked goods and hot meat loaf at the Sinsissippi hotel, Saturday, April 2.

**ENTERTAINS CLUB**  
Miss Lana Seibert was hostess to her bridge club Wednesday afternoon, including Mesdames Ben Seibert, Adolph Wilde, John Cordes, Frank Wilde, Paul O. Johnson, Leo Colson and Mrs. Malcolm Cann. Mrs. Cordes won first prize and Mrs. Cann, second.

**ATTEND WEDDING**  
Mrs. William Tremble, daughter Pauline and son Bill were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Anderson in DeKalb Sunday and attended the wedding of Miss Dorothy Rodding and Marvin Moore at the Evangelical Lutheran church. Others from Oregon attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Brinker, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Molzahn, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Grant, Mrs. Fred Hardesty and son Robert.

**AT FUNERAL SERVICE**  
James Murdoch and Harold Johnson attended funeral services in Monroe, Wis. Tuesday for Miss Mary Ludlow acting as pallbearers.

**HOSPITAL PATIENTS**  
Mrs. George Weigle entered the Dixon hospital Sunday and will submit to an operation the last of the week. Wednesday her daughter Barbara Burroughs underwent an emergency operation there.

Mrs. Fred Ackerman submitted to a major operation Thursday morning at the Dixon hospital.

Mrs. Milton Wilde is under observation and treatment at St. Anthony's hospital in Rockford.

## Polo Affairs of Today

Mrs. Maude Reed, Reporter. 'Phone 59-Y

**MEMBERS OF CHOIR**  
Miss Neva Sweet, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sweet and Miss Nina Trump, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Trump of Polo are members of the Cornell college A Cappella choir that starts April 1-8th on a tour in Iowa and Minnesota, giving concerts in 12 cities. Miss Sweet is in the soprano section and Miss Trump is in the alto group. The choir members are chosen by competitive tryouts before they are admitted to the group. This is the third annual tour of this organization. Harold W. Blatz, director of the Cornell conservatory, is conductor of the choir.

Title of the sermon, Mrs. Charles Joiner will sing, "He Was Despised" from Handel's "Messiah" at this service.

Lenten vesper service at 4:30. Rev. Herbert J. Doran of Dixon will be the speaker. "The Master Is Here and Callesth for Thee."

**Evangelical Church**  
S. C. Boswell, pastor

Unified service from 10:00 to 11:30 A. M. beginning with worship conducted by the pastor and closing with the regular Bible school session under the leadership of B. A. Muench.

E. L. C. E. meeting at 6:45 P. M. Mrs. Ross Hostetter as leader.

7:30 P. M. we will resume our regular Sunday evening worship conducted by the pastor.

Our annual congregational meeting will be held at the church Wednesday evening, April 6, beginning at 7:30. Reports from the different departments of the church will be given and officers for the ensuing year will be elected. All members of the church urged to attend.

The senior choir rehearsal will follow this meeting.

The junior choir will meet at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the parsonage.

**Christian Church**  
L. V. Lovell, minister

The Loyal Workers' class will meet Wednesday evening, April 6, with the Misses Roxanna and Mary Martney.

The church board will meet at the church Monday evening, April 4, at 7:30 o'clock.

If you do not have a church home we invite you to come and worship with us next Sunday. Our morning worship service begins at 10 o'clock. Both services together are one and one-half hours.

The Young People's society of the Christian Endeavor meets at 6:30 P. M. and the evening worship at 7:30. Sermons by the pastor at both morning and evening services.

**NAMES IN THE NEWS**  
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson and Mrs. Wayne Maybourn drove to Chicago Wednesday. The ladies shopped while Mr. Johnson transacted business there.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lenhart and Mrs. Willis Pittinger and daughter Shirley were in Rockford Thursday afternoon.

Lawrence Tompson of Morning, Ia., visited with his brother, Bob at Stratford Thursday.

Rev. Sidney Blomquist attended a meeting of the western division of the Rockford district of the Methodist church at Mt. Morris Wednesday.

At a business session plans

## SUPREME COURT OF STATE WILL MEET NEXT WEEK

Questions Involving Old Age Assistance May Be Decided

Springfield, Ill., April 1—(AP)—Decisions in two cases having a major bearing on the state's old age pension set-up may be handed down by the Illinois Supreme Court during its April term to be convened Tuesday.

One case involves the Macon county Circuit Court order directing the public welfare department to place John Borreson of Decatur on the pension payroll at \$24 a month, which the high court previously upheld.

However, a rehearing was granted after the Attorney General claimed the decision would destroy the conformity of the old age pension act with the Federal Social Security Act, probably resulting in the cutting off of Federal funds. He contended that with Federal aid missing the lower court order could not be complied with, and that the court was in reality taking over administration of the act.

**Inmates of Homes**  
The other case involves the question of whether inmates of private homes for the aged are eligible for pensions. The high court was asked to rule when the Attorney General appealed the Sangamon county Circuit Court order directing that an \$18 a month pension be paid Mary Freeman, a resident of the Odd Fellows home at Mattoon.

Included in the 52 other cases on which the court may act are those involving the validity of the disconnection act of 1935 on separation of lands from municipalities, the validity of the Chicago ordinance for licensing and regulating food dispensers, validity of the Chicago policemen and firemen's retirement act, and the authority of the state legislature to appoint its members to the Golden Gate Exposition, the New York World's Fair, and the Gettysburg Memorial Commission, and the expenditure of total appropriations of \$207,000. Rehearings sought include those in which the court upheld the firemen's minimum wage law and the right of the legislature in making awards to widows of elective officials who die before taking office.

### OVERFLOW SUBSIDIES

Belleville, Ill., April 1—(AP)—Normal traffic over U. S. highway 50 and state route 11 was restored today as overflow waters from Silver Creek receded. Approximately a half mile of highway was inundated yesterday between Lebanon and O'Fallon, and a section of route 11 between Troy and St. Jacob.

### APPARENT SUICIDE

Columbus, Ohio—(AP)—A man police identified as Lawrence Lloyd Carroll, 45, of Mattoon, Ill., was found shot to death in his hotel room yesterday. A pistol was found beside the body.

They were laid for the 20th anniversary of Methodism to be held May 24.

Mrs. Fred Stahler is transacting business at Ames, Ia., this week.

Miss Charlotte Slifer, teacher at Independence, Ia., is visiting with her mother, Mrs. Isaac Fahrney during spring vacation here.

Mrs. Frank Cruickshank of Superior, Wis., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lord.

Mrs. Edward Taylor and daughter Marcia of Freeport is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Donaldson.

### Evangelical Lutheran Church

Carl D. Kammerer, pastor  
Sunday school 10:00 A. M. Ralph Shaver, Supt. We shall have a short address by our missionary superintendent and the offering will go for the support of our native missionary, Chilla Mark.

Missionary worship 11:00 A. M. Theme: "Remembering Jesus." Special music by the senior choir under the direction of Mrs. Pauline Grant.

Young people's sing at 6:30 P. M. Evening worship at 7:30 P. M. The council will meet Tuesday evening, April 5, for its regular monthly business session.

Special Lenten service each Wednesday evening at 7:30 P. M.

**St. Mary's Catholic Church**  
Rev. J. M. Blitsch

Mass at 8 o'clock April 3.

**First M. E. Church**  
Sidney Bloomquist, minister

Sunday school 10:00 A. M.  
Morning worship 11:00 A. M.  
Epworth League 6:30 P. M.  
Evening worship 7:30 P. M.  
Class No. 5 meets Friday with Mrs. LeRoy Slater. Scramble dinner at noon followed by a business meeting and program.

Mrs. Tyler's class meets Tuesday April 5 with Mrs. Glen Tyler. Mrs. Clarence Fahrney is the leader.

The W. F. M. S. meets Thursday, April 7 at the home of Mrs. Snook Miss Lillian Poole is the leader.

The Young Woman's Missionary society will meet Thursday, April 7 with Mrs. Elmer Wilson.

A group of children from the grade school will sing at the evening worship service Sunday evening under the direction of Mrs. Roberta Moore. You are invited to attend all services.

## Walnut News of Today

Mrs. Kizzie Rix, Reporter. Phone 1391

### EASTER BAZAAR

The members of the Loyal Workers' class of the M. E. church are making extensive preparations for their Easter bazaar and supper to be held on April 9. Mrs. Thirza Sanders is executive chairman of the affair. The menu will consist of creamed chicken on hot biscuits, mashed potatoes, deviled eggs, beet pickles, cabbage slaw, pie and coffee.

Mrs. Minier will have charge of the rug booth, Esther Carlson of the bake and candy booth, Alice Hufford will be in charge of aprons. Dorothy Mau will have charge of the dining room. Mrs. Fox will have charge of tickets and Mrs. Elmeda White will be in charge of the kitchen.

### OBITUARY

Funeral services for Mrs. George Gallentine were held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Christian church with Rev. R. W. Ford officiating.

Carrie Latta was born in Bedford county, Pa., November 6, 1870, one of 12 children of William and Barbara Garlie Latta. She came to Illinois with her parents when a small child and they settled on a farm near Wyanet.

She was united in marriage to George Gallentine on January 11, 1894 and had spent the rest of her life in the vicinity of Walnut. She was an active member of the Christian church and has lived in the precincts and fellowship of her Maker since early womanhood.

She leaves to mourn her death her husband, 7 children, Mrs. William Schrader, Mrs. Dale Gloden, Mrs. George Cameron, Ray, Rowley and Arthur, all of Walnut and Hubert of Aledo, 10 grandchildren, one sister, Mrs. Ida Alford of Manlius and one brother William Latta of Harmon.

**SCHOOL EXHIBITION**  
The third annual physical exhibition given by the boys and girls of the Walnut high school was held Tuesday evening in the gymnasium. The events included calisthenics, stunts on the horse and parallel bars, tumbling and ping pong finals by the boys and exercises and acrobatics by the girls. Special numbers included a tap dance by Carol Lyons and specialty features by Elton Glaze, Ann'a Aherton and Melva Latrop. The instructors were Mrs. Claribel Cull, Noel Mosher and Kenneth Lotough.

**HURE AND THERE**  
Mrs. T. C. Melhiser and Miss Josephine Melhiser and Mrs. Margaret Little were Dixon shoppers on Wednesday.

Mrs. F. J. Johnson and son Gordon of Dixon spent Thursday with her mother, Mrs. Maude Meisenheimer.

### Amboy Activities

Mrs. Harold Frost, Reporter. 'Phone 256

### AREME CLUB

The Areme Contract Bridge club met with Mrs. Ralph Barlow in Dixon Thursday afternoon. Mrs. W. J. Leake held high score. Mrs. Charles Berkely, second, and Mrs. Ed Barlow the all-out. Hostesses were Mrs. Ralph Barlow, Mrs. W. S. Frost and Mrs. Sam Geede, who took the place of Mrs. L. E. Bates who was unable to be present.

This club will meet Thursday, April 7, for its next meeting, at the home of Mrs. Sam Goode. Assistant hostesses will be Mrs. W. J. Leake and Mrs. Leon Barlow.

**PILGRIM DAUGHTERS**  
The Pilgrim Daughters gathered at the home of Mrs. Jack Keay on Wednesday evening in honor of Mrs. Eno Aschenbrenner's birthday. Mrs. Sanford, Mrs. Holly Smith and Rose Murtaugh were guests of the evening. Games and stunts were enjoyed after which a lunch was served.

**BIRTHDAY SURPRISE**  
Miss Jennie Goy was pleasantly surprised with a scramble supper Wednesday evening in honor of her birthday. Those present were Mrs. Lena Blowers, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Biesecker, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Blester, and Miss Ida Huff.

**DID YOU HEAR?**  
Leslie Spencer, Bernard Ollmann, Mike Foley, Harold Carroll, Ralph Marshall, Ed Whitner, attended a meeting in Dixon Thursday evening.



## LOCAL - STATE - WORLD-WIDE

Louis Makes  
3rd Defense  
of His Title  
in Bout With  
Henry Thomas



## LOUIS HOPES TO WIN BOUT IN 8 ROUNDS

### Is Third Defense of Title By Brown Bomber

Chicago, April 1.—(AP)—On this April Fool's night Joe Louis, world's heavyweight champion, goes into the ring determined to make a fistful of Harry Thomas, Negro challenger from Eagle Bend, Minn.

They meet in a battle, scheduled for 15 rounds in the Chicago Stadium, with prospects of an attendance of from ten to fifteen thousand, and receipts from \$50,000 to \$70,000.

The 23-year-old Negro titleholder is out to make Thomas hit the canvas and stay there for eight rounds are finished. He wants a quicker knockout than Max Schmeling, who stopped Thomas in eight rounds on a technical finish.

Louis is tuned to physical perfection for the third defense of the title he won from James J. Braddock in Chicago last June.

Says the champion: "If I see an opening in the first round, I'll crash through with it. Thomas has courage and can punch and you have to dispose of a fellow like that as quick as you can. I'll take no chances. I never have been in better shape for any fight. I figure I'll have him dressed up before the fifth round."

Has Ill Qualifications  
Thomas has all the physical qualifications of Louis, but that is about all. His only apparent chance seems to be in a damaging attack to the body early in the fight before the champion gets warmed up. This, Thomas figures, will allow Louis to make him a victim for a right smash to the chin.

Thomas enters the ring a 20-1 shot. His hopes hang entirely upon a Sunday punch from his swinging attack. He can not match Louis in speed, boxing skill, nor hitting power and will have an age handicap of about nine years although the record books says he is only 27. Thomas boxes with a wide-open swinging style, throwing his punches from his shoe laces, and is easy to hit. Louis is positive he will not miss him, but Thomas can absorb punches like a postoffice blotter.

Thomas' record of 60 bouts in six years with 45 knockouts looks impressive, but with the exception of his last two bouts, his foes hold minor league rankings. However, the only man to stop him was Schmeling, and Thomas was on his feet swinging and protesting when the referee ended that bout.

The Brown Bomber flashed his best form in two years while training for tonight's brawl. He expects to scale 200 pounds, with Thomas tipping the beam at 196. Thomas is lean and trim as a result of three weeks of training.

Louis figures to collect about \$25,000 for repulsing the Minnesota swing man. Promoter Mike Jacobs will wind up with about \$12,000, enough to start the ballyhoo for his Louis-Schmeling million dollar plum, which will gather momentum from now on.

FIG THIEF SHOT  
Monmouth, Ill.—(AP)—A golden eagle with a seven-foot wing spread was shot and killed by Arthur Frye near here after the bird had stolen several pigs weighing more than 25 pounds.

When the red deer of England develops 12 points on his antlers, he automatically becomes a "royal stag."

Blow a smoke ring with this finer cigarette and you'll be wedded to MARVELS' quality



## Franklin Grove Cribbage Team Is Badly Defeated

The Franklin Grove cribbage team captained by George Schultz, who has reconditioned his crew this season with the addition of two promising members, were treated to another shellacking last evening at the fire department headquarters. Captain Dave Kelly's quartet gave no quarter and won the series by a score of 20 to 12. The Grove peggers were George Schultz, captain, John Vogt, lieutenant, and Charley Kelley and Douglas Stultz, first class privates. The Dixon team was unchanged with Dave Kelly, leading the winners, with Joe Miller, Leo Fane and E. L. Palmer assisting.

## On the Side

### Bits of Gossip of Sports Picked Up By AP Writer

BY SID FEDER  
(Pinch Hitting for Eddie Brietz)

New York, April 1.—(AP)—April Fool's Day and Harry Thomas tangles with Joe Louis. . . . "Nuff said."

Don't be surprised if Joe Di Maggio gets around to joining the Yankees on their Texas swing next week. . . . Won't have so far to travel along then. . . . Bill De Courcey, the footballer, makes his golfing tournament debut in the Midwest amateur at French Lick Springs (Ind.) today. . . . What major league outfit offered contracts to just about every member of the Salisbury (N. C.) mill team that clouted 17 homers in a seven-game series last fall? . . . Shouldn't take even two guesses. . . . Goose Goslin is giving Bucky Harris a good argument for signing him with Washington. . . . Had two pinch-hitting this week and connected both times—for a single and homer.

Hey, Mike Jacobs, look: Wisconsin's boxing team showed to three different dual meet crowds of better than 11,000 so far this season. . . . And expects 12,000 or more for Monday's mill with Washington State. . . . Gertrude Ederle, the channel swimmer, has turned to nursing and is now assistant for Dr. James Stotter, the plastic surgeon here. . . . Word from Stanford's spring practice is that Tiny Thorhill has more material for next fall than he knows what to do with. . . . Is Judge Landis planning to follow up his takeoff on the Cardinals with a dose of the same for some other clubs? . . . Our Cunnel Eddie Brietz is laid up with a slight attack of the "miserics." . . . Too much hog and hominy down south last week, Cunnel? . . .

George Kdace, the Olympic swimmer, is sporting a doctor of music degree from the New York School of Music. . . . Sore arm dept.: Johnny Hopp, rated a \$50,000 ball player by the Cardinals, has an all-flipper so bad that Branch Rickey says he couldn't even go in Double-A company now. . . . And Joe Kohlman, who won 23 in a row in the Eastern Shore league last year, came up with one in the Senators' camp. . . . Larry Lajoie is recovering from his recent illness down at Port Worth, Fla. . . . This new Jack Dempsey sports mag hit the sands this week. . . . First issue's nearest crack: Bennet Leonard explaining he opened a restaurant because back in the days of the tough training table grind he made up his mind that when he quit the ring he'd get into some business near a kitchen. . . . So he could eat all he wanted to.

Decatur Survives  
Opening Round Of  
YMCA Cage Meet

Chicago, April 1.—(AP)—Decatur continued in its role as defending champion in the Illinois state Y. M. C. A. basketball tournament today after opening round play last night. The downstate team's first victim was Duncan Department of Chicago, 47 to 45.

Other results included Larrabee, Chicago, 50; Springfield 39; Waukegan 45; Division, Chicago, 26; Lawson, Chicago 47; Joliet 33.

It is estimated that half a million or more Chinese Communists, bandits, and irregular troops harass Japanese lines of communications and supply in North China.

The West Virginia coal industry has paid \$58,206,487 in workmen's compensation in the 24 years of the law's existence.

Approximately 94 per cent of the electricity in the United States is generated by privately-owned companies which have an invested capital of \$13,000,000,000.

Woolf . . . 173 181 190—544  
Pelton . . . 168 210 189—567  
Fordham . . . 188 185 135—508  
Gash . . . 166 166 166—498

## BOWLING

### TONIGHT'S GAMES Major League

7 P. M.—Potter's Cleaners vs. Bowman's.  
Candy Box vs. Patrick Henry.  
9 P. M.—Nash Lafayette vs. Coca Cola.

In and Outers vs. Barriages.

### COMMERCIAL LEAGUE

	Won	Lost
Cities Service	45	30
Cahill's Frigidaires	44	31
Loneragan's Watchmakers	43	32
Hil Bros.	40	35
Miller's Chrystlers	39	36
Eichler's Clothiers	37	38
Coss Cream Toppers	27	48
Blue Ribbon	25	50

### Team Records

High team game—	
Loneragan's	1128
Miller's Chrystlers	1092
High team series—	
Loneragan's	3115
Hil Bros.	3050

### Individual Records

High individual game—	
Moersbacher	256
Potts	254
High individual series—	
Ploek	670
Pools	659
Judge	647

### Hill Bros.

Hill	159	211	162	532
Grove	166	162	142	470
Reis	131	193	151	475
Moersbacher	169	177	173	519
Ploek	213	156	149	518
Hdcp	88	88	88	264
Totals	926	987	865	2778

### Cities Service

Wilhelm	158	165	147	470
Dwyre	166	157	182	505
Klein	234	204	168	606
Hanson	180	193	168	541
Daschbach	210	214	215	639
Hdcp	39	39	39	117
Totals	987	972	919	2878

### Cahill's Frigidaires

Venier	193	214	146	553
Cahill	169	183	149	501
Hasselberg	159	163	145	467
Pelton	137	172	149	458
Pollack	182	143	213	538
Hdcp	99	99	99	297
Totals	939	947	901	2814

### Coss Cream Toppers

Coss	140	140	140	420
Lepley	160	123	114	397
Randall	134	184	150	468
Allen	137	126	127	390
Gorman	165	114	164	443
Hdcp	184	184	184	552
Totals	920	871	879	2670

### Miller's Chrystlers

Hey	201	193	235	634
Peterson	161	180	154	495
Hofmann	172	188	149	509
Miller	192	144	137	473
Detweiler	177	144	190	511
Hdcp	76	76	76	228
Totals	979	930	941	2850

### Eichler's Clothiers

Potts	173	166	146	485
Witzleb	160	175	179	514
Boyd	122	141	151	414
Bovey	175	189	150	514
Myers	159	154	190	503
Hdcp	118	118	118	354
Totals	927	943	834	2804

### Loneragan's Watchmakers

Judge	146	173	183	502
Weinmann	132	186	97	415
Loneragan	147	148	138	433
O'Malley	162	187	213	562
Bremer	170	115	158	443
Hdcp	127	137	137	401
Totals	884	966	986	2836

### Blue Ribbon

Ide	155	168	171	494
Springer	136	104	154	394
Ommen	177	135	128	440
Yount	135	133	149	417
Bremer	134	167	161	462
Hdcp	146	176	176	498
Totals	883	883	939	2705

### CLASSIC LEAGUE

	Won	Lost
Williams DeSoto	48	30
Boydton Richards	45	33
Buick-Pontiac	44	34
Miller High Life	43	35
Beiers Loafers	40	38
Knicks	33	45
United Cigar Store	33	45
Budweisers	25	52

### TEAM RECORDS

High Team Game—	
Boydton Richards	1107
Knicks	1063
High Team Series—	
Williams DeSoto	3102
Boydton Richards	3068

### INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

High Ind. Game—	
McClanahan	267
Wolf	266
High Ind. Series—	
Ridlbauer	685
Ploek	651

### United Cigar Store

Welch	170	145	136	451
Keenan	123	157	164	444
Kieffer	139	222	159	520
Gianoni	179	176	178	533
Fitzsimmons	210	202	150	562
Hdcp	117	117	117	351
Totals	958	1022	878	2835

### Knicks

Wolf	173	181	190	544
Pelton	168	210	189	567
Fordham	188	185	135	508
Gash	166	166	166	498

## Play Ball!



"Play Ball," the official American League talking motion picture will be shown to the boys of Dixon and vicinity Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Dixon high school auditorium, the feature being made possible by Dixon post No. 12, American Legion. There will be no admission charge and every boy in Dixon who is interested in baseball is invited to be the guest of the Legion post on this occasion.

In this picture which provides wholesome and instructive entertainment for a period of 45 minutes, the boys will have an opportunity of seeing the leading players of the American League in action. Instructions are given with slow motion pictures of the style of pitching used by Bob Feller and Lefty Gomez. Mickey Cochrane, manager of the Detroit Tigers gives instructions in catching and demonstrates the signals used by a catcher in the big leagues. Leading batters of the league including Joe Di Maggio of the New York Yankees and Charley Gehring are shown in action in slow motion pictures, to demonstrate the power behind their hitting. There are also shown, interesting innings in the last world's series games, and the film is highly entertaining to both adults as well as "sand lotters."

After the showing of the film, plans will be discussed for the organization of the American Legion Junior baseball league.

### Buick-Pontiac

Smith	179	209	202	590
Klein	172	196	231	599
Hanson	153	142	180	475
Schertner	179	173	168	520
Poole	173	186	173	532
Hdcp	30	30	30	90
Totals	886	936	984	2806

### Williams DeSoto

Shawyer	179	137	152	468
Huffman	145	136	145	426
Williams	155	196	149	500
Huebner	173	163	141	477
Schroeder	194	215	222	631
Hdcp	90	90	90	270
Totals	936	937	899	2772

### Miller High Life

Witzleb	194	148	184	526
Buchanan	148	151	167	466
Ploek	180	127	169	476
Ridlbauer	187	171	206	564
Worley	194	180	177	551
Hdcp	24	24	24	72
Totals	927	801	927	2655

### Beiers Loafers

Dusing	175	156	148	479
Staebler	171	154	194	519
Snively	126	148	206	480
Beier	150	166	123	439
Breeding	214	184	173	571
Hdcp	96	96	96	288
Totals	932	904	940	2776

### Boydton Richards

F. Smith	184	156	206	546
Shaulis	193	174	185	552
Plovman	196	143	187	526
Hackett	155	178	177	460
Miller	168	168	191	527
Hdcp	64	64	64	192
Totals	940	883	1010	2833

### Budweisers

G. Jones	171	176	183	530
W. Jones	123	206	160	489
Wilhelm	141	144	175	460
Dysart	167	167	167	501
McClanahan	180	180	180	540
Hdcp	83	83	83	249
Totals	865	956	948	2769

Approximately 94 per cent of the electricity in the United States is generated by privately-owned companies which have an invested capital of \$13,000,000,000.

## TEN TOP TEAMS TIGHTEN HOLDS ON A. B. C. LEADS

### Scores Withstand Efforts Of Another Strong Squad

Chicago, April 1.—(AP)—The 10 top teams in the American Bowling Congress breathed easier today. Their scores have withstood the efforts of another heavily-favored squad.

The Heil Quality Products of Milwaukee, national match game champions, could do no more about catching the leading Isaac Baker and Son team from Erie, Pa., last night than could Chicago's Monarch Beers and Budweisers earlier in the week. The Heils score of 2926 led their squad but left the 10 top teams breathing easily. They were never seriously threatened.

Tonight the defending champions, the Krakow Furniture Co., of Detroit feature the start of the second round of the 48-day tournament.

### The Leaders:

Five Man Teams:  
Isaac Baker & Son, Erie, Pa., 3087.

Two Man Teams:  
Richard Kries-Sam Vanlin, Buffalo, 1322.

Individuals:  
Knute Anderson, Moline, Ill. 746.

All Events:  
Don Beatty, Jackson, Mich., 1



Organ of Vision

**HORIZONTAL**

1 Organ of sight  
4 Transparent part of eyeball coat  
8 Pigmented part of eye  
12 King  
14 Ever  
15 Meager  
16 Dazzling light  
17 X  
18 Like horn  
19 To place alone

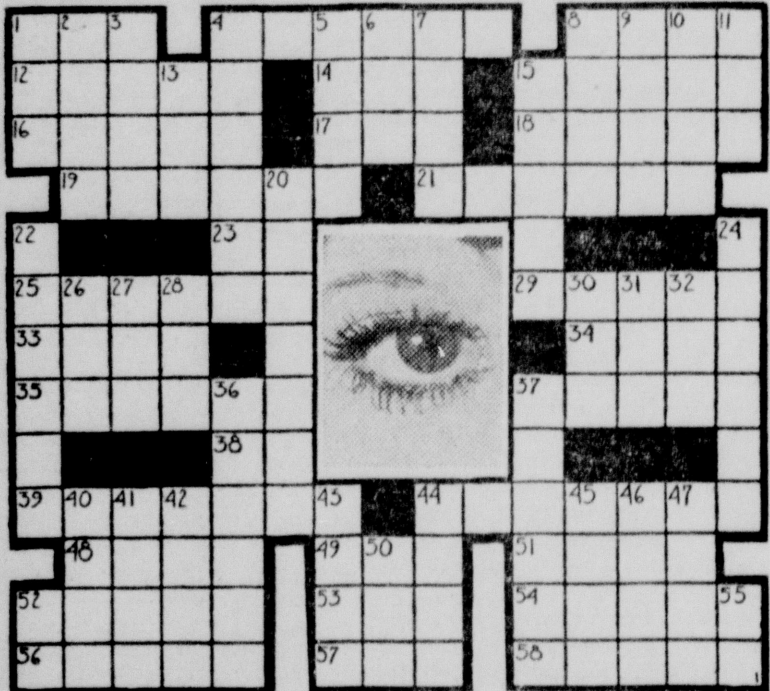
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20 Sensitive membrane of the eye  
24 Eyeball cover  
26 Cover  
27 Form of "be"  
28 Tiny vegetable  
30 Mooley apple  
31 To drink dog fashion  
32 Blackbird of the cuckoo family  
36 Merchant  
37 Formal display of troops  
40 Pretense  
41 Harbor  
42 Edge of roof  
43 To prepare for publication  
44 Part of a rosary  
45 Melody  
46 Tinge of color  
47 Brink  
50 Wrath  
52 Northwest  
55 Year

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20 Those subject



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By William Ferguson



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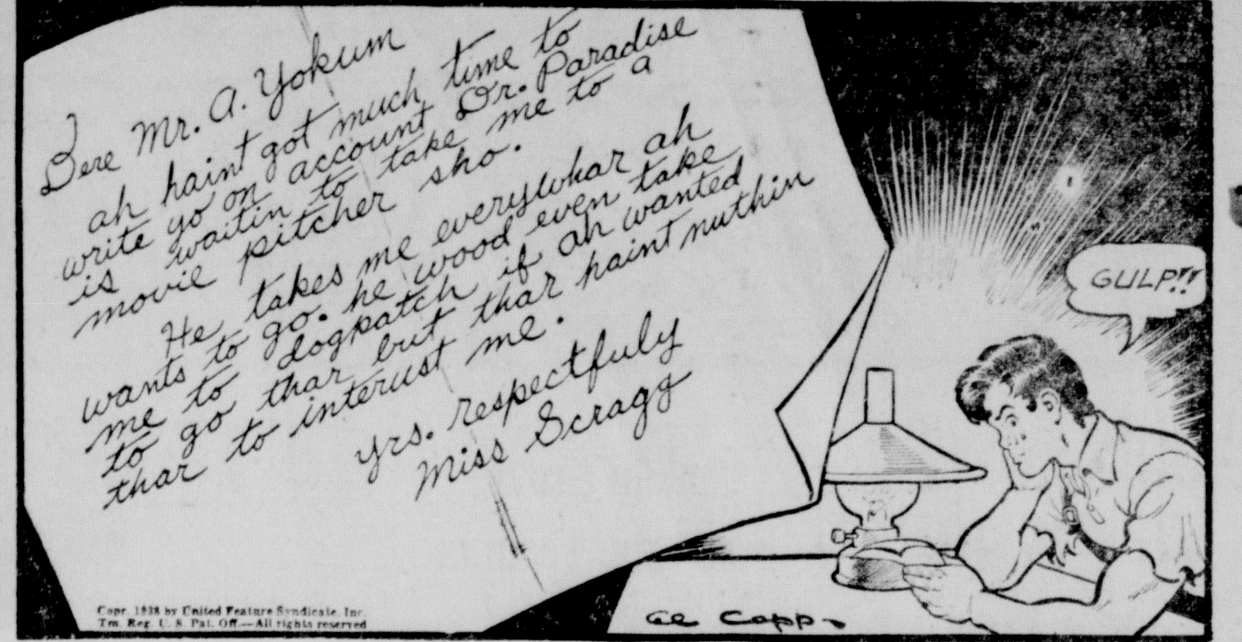
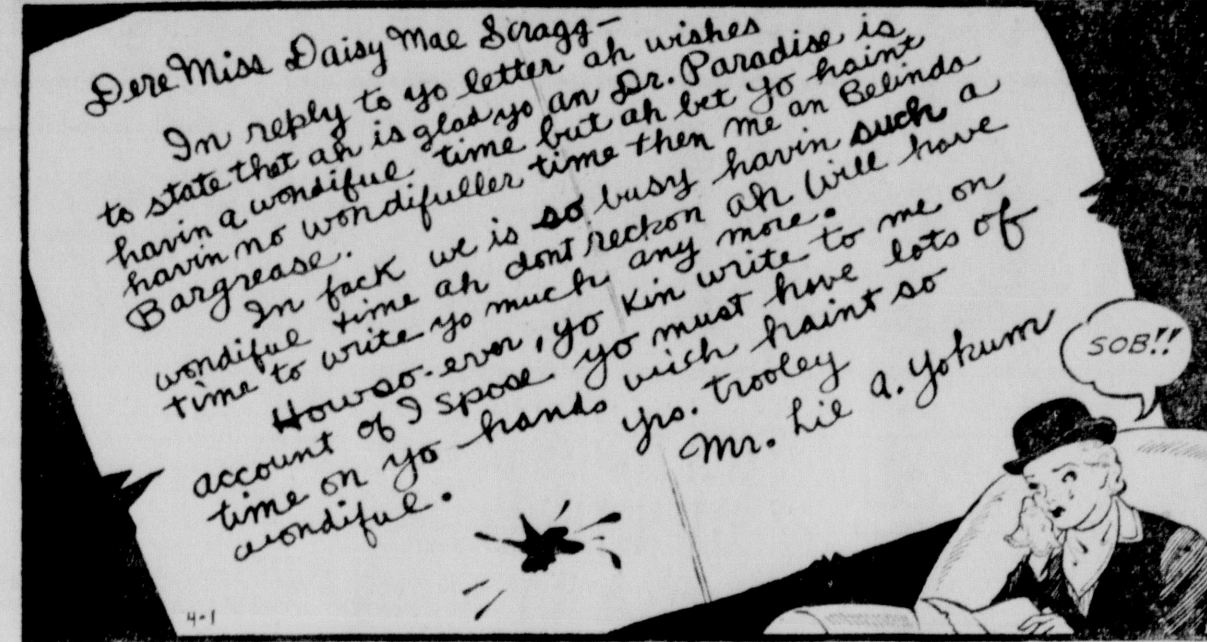
THE Flying Lemur is the most completely winged of all mammals, except the bat. A membranous prolongation of the skin connects the limbs with each other, and the hind limbs with the tail. Its flight, like that of the flying squirrels, is only a leap and glide.

NEXT: The man who won the French Cross of the Legion of Honor for a suggestion!

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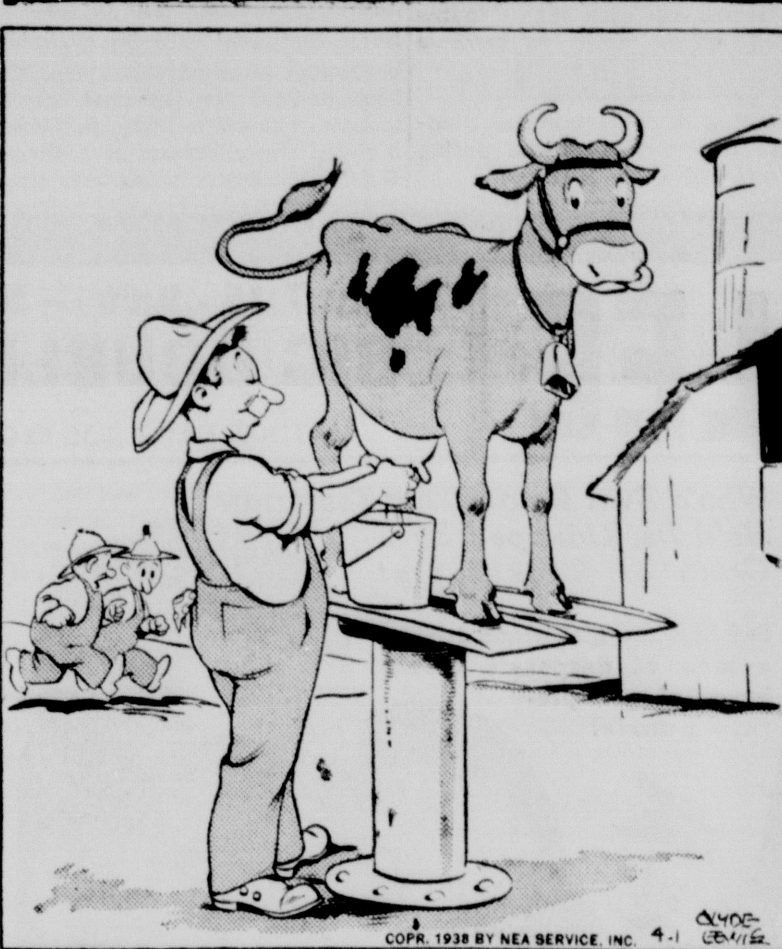
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Estate of Charles Witzleb, De-  
ceased.

Public notice is hereby given  
that the undersigned, executor of  
the estate of Charles Witzleb, de-  
ceased, will attend before the  
County Court of Lee county, at the  
court house in Dixon on the 18th  
day of April, 1938, next, for the  
purpose of making a final settle-  
ment of said estate, at which time  
and place I will ask to be dis-  
charged. All persons interested  
are notified to attend.

Dixon, Illinois, April 1, A. D.  
1938.

### John R. Witzleb,

Executor,  
John J. Armstrong,  
Attorney.

April 1-8, 1938

## BLACKHAWKS WIN REVIVE CHANCE FOR PLAYOFF

New York, April 1—(AP)—Chi-  
cago's Blackhawks have drawn a  
"life" for themselves in the Na-  
tional Hockey league's Stanley Cup  
playoffs.

Bill Stewart's collapsible crew  
was supposed to be a cinch for the  
New York Americans in their clash  
at Chicago last night; already one  
down in the semi-finals, best-of-  
three series, the Hawks were fig-  
ured to fade completely out of the  
playoffs, advancing the Americans  
to the cup finals against Toronto.

But something went wrong. The  
Hawks awaited until after April 1  
arrived, battling well past midnight  
in overtime, and then sent Gully  
Dahlstrom and Lou Trudell down-  
ice to combine on the game's lone  
tally for a 1-0 victory. Dahlstrom  
did the goal-making on a pass from  
Trudell after the two clubs had  
fought it out through three regula-  
tion periods and 33:01 of "sudden  
death" overtime.

The win evened the series at one-  
game each, and forced a third game  
Sunday night in Madison Square  
Garden.

**Declares Ickes Caused**  
**FDR to Nominate Burlew**

Washington, April 1—(AP)—  
Senator Pittman (D-Nev.) told the  
senate Secretary Ickes had caused  
President Roosevelt to nominate  
Ebert K. Burlew as first assistant  
secretary of the Interior Depart-  
ment.

He also charged Ickes had  
threatened him with the loss of  
projects and patronage for oppos-  
ing Burlew.

"I don't believe the President  
wanted him (Burlew)," Pittman  
said as he urged the senate to re-  
fuse confirmation.

The westerner has battled the  
Burlew nomination for more than  
three months and took the floor as  
the senate met today.

More than one-half of the Cali-  
fornia legislators serving in 1937-  
38 were born outside that state.

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**PULL YOURSELF OUT OF THIS TAILSPIN, PROFESSOR! BEFORE YOU CRACKUP! THERE'S A DOZEN HIDE-WAYS THAT TH' MAJOR MIGHT HAVE TUCKED PERCY INTO THAT YOU HAVEN'T NOSED OUT—IT TOOK US THREE YEARS DURING TH' GREAT DROUGHT TO DISCOVER WHERE HE H'D HIS BOTTLE!**

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**THEY TOLD HIM TO LOOK BACK OF THE RADIO—BUT IT'S ONLY AN APRIL FOOL JOKE—**

## News of the Churches

### GOOD THOUGHTS

Quiet minds cannot be perplexed or frightened, but go on in fortune and misfortune, at their own private pace, like a clock during a thunderstorm.

—Robert Louis Stevenson.

There is but one way to tranquility of mind and happiness, and that is to account no external things thine own, but to commit all to God.

—Epictetus.

Thou must be like a promontory of the sea, against which though the waves beat continually, yet it both stands, itself, and about it are those swelling waves stilled and quieted.

—Marcus Aurelius.

The sublime summary of an honest life satisfies the mind craving a higher good, and bathes it in the cool waters of peace on earth; till it grows into the full stature of wisdom, reckoning its own by the amount of happiness it has bestowed upon others.

—Mary Baker Eddy.

Let senses false their clamor cease, In quietness shall be thy strength, In righteousness thou shalt find peace.

—Josephine Robinson.

Be still, and know that I am God.

—Psalms 46.

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9:45 a. m., Sunday school. Classes for all.

10:45 a. m., Service of Divine worship. Music by the senior choir. Sermon by the pastor, "I Believe in the Communion of Saints." This is the fourth message in a series on the Apostles' Creed.

6:30 p. m., Christian Endeavor hour, two groups.



# The Boxwood Barrier

By BLANCHE SMITH FERGUSON

**The Story So Far:**  
Heartbroken because the man she loves has left her, Judith Goodloe decides to marry Reuben Oliver. This man, who has pulled himself up by his bootstraps, has one thing the aristocrat Goodloes need—money. Desperately in love with Judith, Reuben refuses to heed the warning of his partner, Clem Rogers that unless he leaves the Maryland valley and gets back into the fight he is due for a financial licking.

Chapter 16  
‘A Man With Spunk’  
In resentful surliness Reuben's hands tightened on the wheel. After all the years—lean years and fat—Clem was letting him down!

Incredible! Out of all the world Clem was the one person whom he believed he could count on. Now—Surely Clem understood that a man must select his own wife. Must choose his own path—And again like a gong tolling faintly and from afar he heard Judith saying: “If I had to leave this valley—”

And he had dreamed of marrying another Biblical Ruth! “Whither thou goest—” Clem, making a ceremony of cleaning and putting away his pipe, glanced surreptitiously at the lean, serious face of the younger man, with rebellion and frustration in his eyes. What good was money? “The only thing in the whole wide

world that Cissy wants and I can't buy him or bribe him!” Grim satisfaction in that thought in spite of a rising anger. If he could buy or bribe Reuben, he wouldn't want him for Cissy. Well, let the young ass go ahead! Let him go the limit! then when he came crawling back—

In stubborn mood Clem and Reuben arrived at the gates of Goodloe's Choice, just as Judith, mounted on Winona, came out. The temperamental animal pretended to be afraid of the shining automobile. She staged a grand act. She danced and pranced all over the road. She reared on her hind legs. She pawed with her front feet. She dilated her thin nostrils. Judith let her go through all her stunts. She even encouraged her a little. She gave a fine exhibition of horsemanship. Reuben watched fearfully. Clem with delighted fascination.

“Whoops, whoops and a couple of whoops!” he exclaimed when Winona at last drew quite close to the machine she had pretended to fear. “That's the best act I've ever seen outside of a circus. Don't know as I've ever seen a better in one. You're Rube's girl, I take it?” Judith still busy with Winona's bridle nodded her assent.

“Well, by cracky if you're going to manage your husband like you do your horse Rube's going to need sympathy.” Judith laughed gaily: “Sh-h-h!” deliciously confidential. “Let's keep him thinking he has all the luck.”

“Maybe he has at that.”

“Isn't it Appalling?”

“This is Clem Rogers, Judith. Reuben made a belated introduction. ‘The man who gave me my start.’”

“But who won't be in at the finish,” Clem thought dourly. He said: “Pleased to meet you, ma'am.” Judith leaned from her saddle to take Clem's hand.

“You've been a good friend.”

“She smiled her own peculiarly friendly smile. ‘The very best friend Reuben ever had.’”

Clem fell before her charm almost without a struggle. “I was afraid Rube was being hooked by a cold-blooded dame,” he confessed sheepishly.

“You don't know the half of it, Mr. Rogers.”

“Neither do you, ma'am,” Clem chuckled.

“He means,” Reuben explained quickly, not knowing what Clem would say next, “that I'm poorer than I was yesterday.”

“And he'll be poorer tomorrow,” Clem further enlightened Judith, watching her as a cat does a mouse, “and poorer still the day after that.”

Deep in the role she had set herself to play, Judith said with just the right shade of concern: “Isn't it appalling the way money is made and lost?”

“You said it, ma'am. It's harder to make than to lose these days.”

“I'm sure of it.”

“It doesn't frighten you?”

“No, I've been poor all my life. I'm afraid I wouldn't know how to act natural under any other circumstances.” Her eyes were honest. Her confidence disarming.

“Come on in and meet Gran.” She turned back to the gates.

Gran, in her most gracious mood, talked with Clem about prospecting oil, wheat and whatnot while Reuben had a fragrant goodbye kiss from Judith.

“Don't worry, sweet.”

Laughter rippled over Judith's red lips—“You don't know the Goodloes if you think they worry.”

**Like Buzzards**  
Judith thought old Clem rather a dear. He told her how Reuben had looked on the day he helped to reload the cabbage. “Cold and thin as a starved rat, with freckles all over his face and no shoes on his feet.”

She glanced at Reuben, sartorially perfect, talking with Jim, and felt the inexplicable pity she so often felt when she looked at him. This old Clem knew they were all cheating Reuben—preying on him like buzzards—

“He's a fighter, ma'am,” Clem bragged. “He wasn't beat that day and I've never seen him beat since.”

“I believe you.”

“And I'm never gonna see him beat unless,” Clem turned keen green eyes, not unlike his daughter's eyes, full upon her, “he runs afoul of something he can't hit back at.”

“Y-yes.” But she did not quite see. She only knew that Cissy's father was appraising her. That he was afraid she was the somebody who would rob Rube of his power to fight. Of his power to win.

“You're getting a man with spunk, ma'am, and honesty. Can you match those traits?”

Her blue eyes did not waver. “I think so,” proudly. “What do you think?”

“I'm not thinking. I'm hoping everything is going to turn out swell and I wish you luck.”

“Thank you,” Judith made a quick decision: “I'm asking Cissy to be maid of honor.”

“Well now — Cissy will be tickled to death.”

But Clem was more tickled than Cissy would be. He didn't give a hoot for place and honor for himself but he wanted his girl to strut with the best. He left Goodloe's Choice well pleased and secretly a bit overwhelmed.

“Not that I ain't seen grander places,” he confided to Rube. “But when it comes to class—tone—Boy, I reckon you're marrying it!”

Reuben, his hands tense upon the wheel, his eyes upon the road, his thoughts roaming far, did not answer.

Clem, craning his neck for a last look at gardens, meadows, hedges, said: “There's nearly half a mil-

lion dollar lay-out here. Gosh—unless there's a miracle you're going to have a heck of a time living up to it!”

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**Monday: The wedding march.**

It has been estimated that state legislatures cost each family in the United States about 35 cents a year.

A cult of devil worship had numerous adherents in France during the reign of Louis XVI.

## Mt. Morris Pool Ready For Season Opening Monday

Swimming enthusiasts of Dixon, who have been inquiring to the opening of the pool at the Mount Morris gymnasium, will be glad to learn that pool will be available, beginning Monday. The pool has been drained for the past several months, but after thorough cleaning and reconditioning by Manager Bill Wohlschlegel, it has been filled

and is ready for swimmers in this territory.

The pool will be open for swimming from 3:30 to 5:00 each afternoon, and evenings from 7 to 9, except on Saturdays. With the weather warming up as it has been the past several weeks, many groups of swimmers are planning “splash” parties at the pool.

California ranks first, Indiana second, in the amount of tomatoes grown for packing.

Milan's famous La Scala opera house was built in 1778.

## To Refuse C. O. D. Mail Addressed to Mexico

Washington, April 1—(AP)—Postal officials said they had ordered 45,000 postmasters throughout the country to refuse mail addressed to Mexico calling for C. O. D. payments.

John E. Lamiell, director of International Postal Service, said the order followed refusal of Mexican postal officials to accept money orders payable in the United States.



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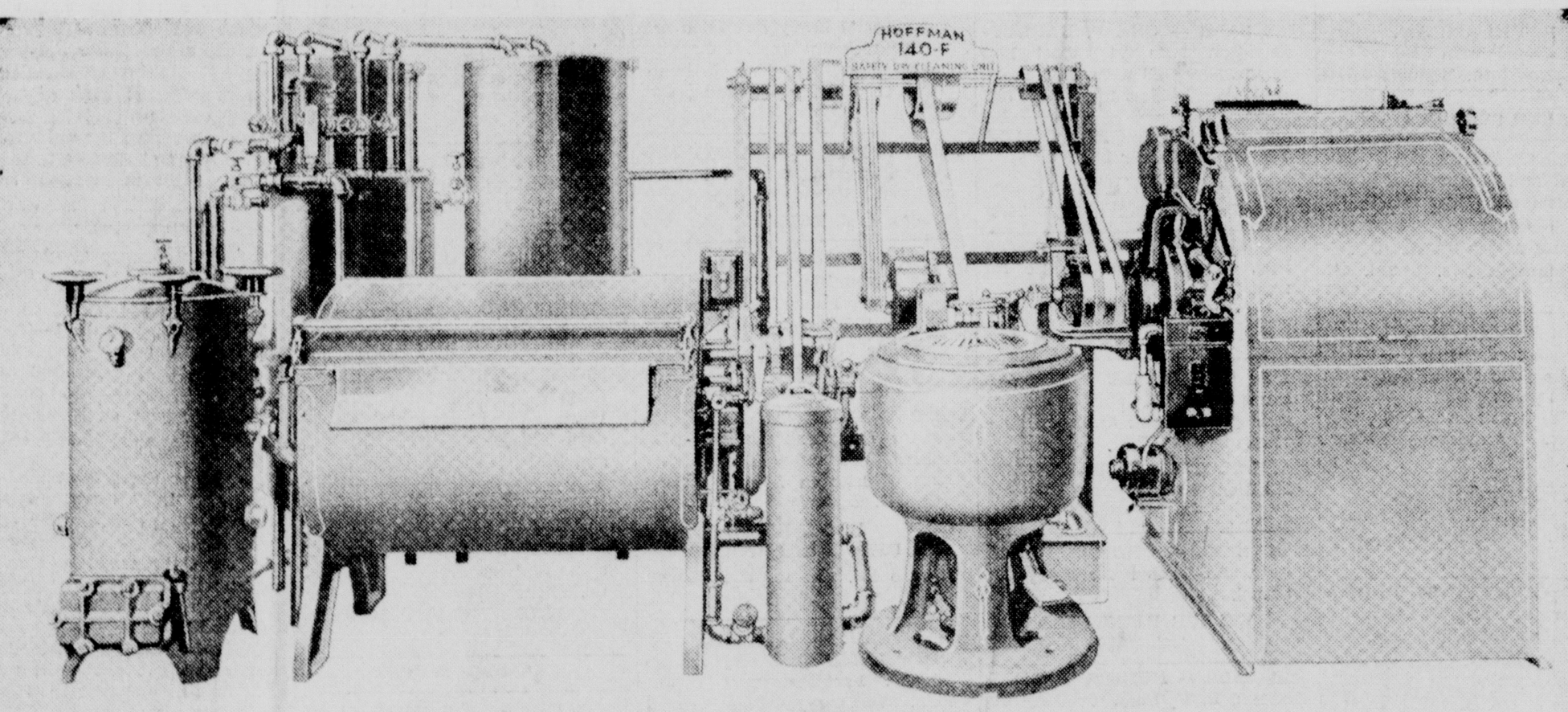
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